



The Busy Beaver club consisting of 14 Newmarket boys, remodels old toys for the use of the Lions club Christmas basket fund, also for the children at the Ontario hospital south of Aurora. Every week they work in the basement of Harold Tite's home, North Newmarket. Here Mr. Tite shows his son, John, how to scrape the old paint off a toy before repainting as Bradley Walker looks on. Era-Express photo.

## Busy Beavers Remodel Toys For Hospital Children, Lions Christmas Baskets

A use has been found for old toys by a recently organized group, the Busy Beavers club. Collecting the discarded toys these lads, ranging in age from 10 to 13 years inclusive, repair them and send them to the Aurora hospital. Regardless of the condition of the toys received they are usable at least in the repair of others.

The club was organized in October, 1950, by Harold A. Tite for the boys in his Sunday-school class at Trinity United church. Mr. Tite said that the purpose of the group is "to develop the minds and hands of boys through the medium of manual training. Through it they will learn the joy of giving and doing as well as the need for toys and games for children in the community."

The Beavers meet every Wednesday evening from 6 to 8 p.m. in the recreation room of Mr. Tite's home, Bolton Ave. "The toys were slow in coming at first but the response was splendid late in November and we are pleased to report 125 items including 85 toys, ten games and 30 books were presented to the Lion's club for distribution with their Christmas baskets," said Mr. Tite.

An election of officers was held at a recent meeting with the following executive taking office for this year: guardian, H. A. Tite; pres., Bradley Walker; vice pres., David Purcell; sec., Barry Jones; treas., Donald Jackson; advertising, Brian Blackstock; social, all club members; stock keeper, Ernest Tite. There were 12 members present.

It was decided that toys should be sent to the Aurora hospital. The boys under the direction of

### URGES REPLANTING TREES ON STREETS

A program for replanting trees on Newmarket's streets was suggested by Councillor Frank Bowser at council Monday night. "We are going to be a treeless town," said Mr. Bowser. "I have about 25 requests every year for the town to remove trees for some purpose or other. I think we have cut 25 trees down this past year."

He suggested that the town purchase trees and said that the Horticultural Society might be interested in a replanting program.

### NEW INDUSTRY

Guild Industries of Canada have opened a plant at the former International Wood Plant.

Mr. Tite make the necessary repairs, painting the old toys and generally making them as attractive as new. Contributions of such discarded toys will be welcomed and should be sent to Mr. Tite, Bolton Ave. If it is impossible for anyone to deliver their toys, children's books and games, a phone call to 855 is all that is necessary to arrange for a collection.

## Three-Man Art Show To Open At Pickering

There will be an exhibition of the paintings of Eric Freifeld, Frederick Hagan and Harley Parker at Pickering College on February 4, 5 and 6, and from February 10 until February 14. The show will be open to the public on Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday afternoons from 2 p.m. until 5 p.m. and on Monday and Tuesday afternoons from 4 p.m. until 5.30 p.m.

Mr. Freifeld is instructor in life drawing and anatomy at the Ontario College of Art. He has studied painting in England, France and the United States. Mr. Freifeld's paintings have been exhibited by the British Royal Academy and many other societies. His talent has won him a Carnegie trust fund scholarship and a travelling fellowship from Queen's university. Mr. Freifeld's work is represented in the collections of the British Fine Art Society, Brook St. Galleries, Solomon Collection, and the Arthur Benjamin Collection.

Mr. Hagan is presently instructor of drawing and lithography at the Ontario College of Art. He was resident artist at Pickering College for a number of years. Mr. Hagan's work has been shown in many important exhibitions including the New York World's Fair and the International Colour Lithograph Exhibition in Cincinnati, 1951. His work is represented in the National Gallery of Canada.

Mr. Parker is instructor in water color painting and color at the Ontario College of Art. Mr. Parker has exhibited with major national art societies since 1940.

### FEDERATION FOR KING

A meeting to organize a Federation of Agriculture in King township will be held in the Masonic Hall in King City on Thursday, Feb. 8, at 8 p.m. All of the township farmers are invited.

## COMING EVENTS

Friday and Saturday, Feb. 2 and 3—Don Douglas, special representative of Fifth Bros., ladies and gents' tailors, will be at Ang West's store, Newmarket. Have your Easter suit and topcoat made-to-measure. Phone 941, Newmarket, for appointment.

Thurs., Fri., Sat. — Last big THREE DAYS for Insley's extra pants free sale with every Band tailored-to-measure suit. Open Friday till 9 p.m. c1w5

Friday, Feb. 2—Hart time dance in the Newmarket town hall, at 9 p.m. Canadian Legion Ladies' Auxiliary No. 426. Charlie VanZant's orchestra. Prizes. Admission 50c each. c2w4

Friday, Feb. 2—Dance in Mount Albert Community hall to Doll Kidd's orchestra. Admission 50c. c1w5

Monday, Feb. 5 — Scout-Guide Mothers' auxiliary meeting in scout hall, 8 p.m. Program by cubs. Refreshments. Full attendance requested. c1w5

Monday, Feb. 5 — Newmarket Women's Institute will hold a euchre at Bluebird Inn at 8 p.m. Prizes and lunch. Admission 35c. c1w5

Tuesday, Feb. 6—Euchre in the school house, sponsored by the Snowball W.I. Good prizes. Admission 35c. c1w5

Tuesday, Feb. 6—Women's Hospital Aid meeting in the Newmarket Agricultural board rooms, 3 p.m. Guest speaker will be Mrs. Thomas J. Lytle, president of the Women's Hospital Auxiliaries Association for the province of Ontario. Public invited to attend this interesting meeting, a cup of tea will be served. c1w5

Wednesday, Feb. 7 — Bingo in Newmarket town hall, sponsored by Newmarket Veterans' Ass'n, at 8 p.m. Attendance prize \$5. Jackpot \$50. 10 numbers called. Proceeds for York County Hospital Women's Aid. Admission 35c. c1w5

Friday, Feb. 9—Concert by the children of the Newmarket public schools in the town hall at 8 p.m. Under the sponsorship of the Home and School Association. Admission, adults, 25 cents, children 15 cents or 2 for 25 cents. c2w5

Friday, Feb. 9—Modern and old time dance in Zephyr Community hall, sponsored by the Teen-Age club. Charlie VanZant's orchestra. Cafeteria lunch. Spot prizes. Admission 50c. c2w5

Friday, Feb. 9—At 8 p.m. in the board room of department of agriculture, annual meeting of Newmarket Co-op. Reports received, discussion. Guest speaker, A. C. Savage. Refreshments. c1w5

Friday, Feb. 9—Valentine dance at Mount Albert hall, North York. Special dances. Special prizes and prizes. Sponsored by Sharon Junior Farmers. Admission 50c. Cafeteria lunch. c2w5

Saturday, Feb. 10 — Valentine tea and sale of home cooking and fancy goods, in Our Lady of Grace church parish rooms, Aurora. Time 3 - 5 p.m. Admission 35c. c2w4

## Annexation Move Success, Newmarket Yonge St. Town

### Pleads Guilty To Postal Charges, Couch To Be Sentenced Friday

David Couch, 19, elected summary trial last Friday before Magistrate O. S. Hollinrake for theft of registered letters from the Newmarket post office. He pleaded guilty to all four charges. The letters which were stolen contained cash totalling \$433 and nine cheques.

Inspector Durrell of the postal department told the court he was in the post office January 16 when he saw Couch empty a bag of in-coming mail on the sorting table. "I saw him look through the letters, pick up one and take it to a pigeon hole," said Inspector Durrell. "I later discovered it was a registered letter to the

Bank of Montreal in Toronto from the Cedar Valley post mistress."

Couch did not put the letter in the registered letter section, and during the afternoon according to the inspector, the letter was missing from the pigeon hole. When Couch put on his coat to go home the letter was noticed sticking out of his pocket. Durrell followed him to his car and told him to return to the office.

Couch confessed the theft and later took Inspector Durrell to his home at Holt where he had hidden three letters in his bureau drawer. Some of the money was recovered; Couch said he had burned the cheques.

An employee of the post office for two years, Couch could give no reason for his conduct. His father, Walter Couch, and two neighbors who have known him all his life were character witnesses at his trial.

After a plea from defence counsel, Joseph Vale, for leniency, Magistrate O. S. Hollinrake said, "I have the greatest sympathy for a young man who has made a mis-step and realize that quite often imprisonment is not the answer, but the punishment must be in proportion to the offence."

Couch was remanded in custody for one week for sentence.

### METER TROUBLE

A local citizen had meter trouble recently. Charged with violating parking regulations the defendant wrote the magistrate to the effect, "I put a nickel in the meter and it didn't register, then I put a penny in, that didn't register. I hit it on either side, it still didn't register so I looked around for a cop and that didn't register either." The charge was withdrawn.

### MARCH OF DIMES

The recent tag day for the March of Dimes in Newmarket took in \$123.85. Chairman of the Newmarket committee for the March of Dimes, J. O. Dales, said that the top salesmanship award in the Optimist club sponsored tag day goes to Morris Gilpin. Jean Norlock and Claire Park turned in good results for second and third place.

## New Fire Hall Main, Millard

A new fire hall to replace the present buildings at the corner of Main St. and Millard Ave. in Newmarket was proposed in council Monday. Councillors Charles VanZant and Lorne Paynter submitted a notice of motion that the hall be built and that a council committee be appointed to look after the details.

"Let's find out what we are in for first and what it is going to cost us," said Reeve Arthur Evans. He cited the high debentures the town is now bearing and others that are expected in the near future.

"I agree there are going to be high expenditures to the town but the time has long passed since we have needed a new fire hall. One of these cold nights there could be a bad enough fire to ruin the town," said Mr. Paynter. "It is not my intention or Mr. VanZant's to bring in a ridiculous price for a new hall."

"A building up here is not going to prevent a fire," the Reeve said. "All I want is that we go about it the right way."

"I winced when I think of what the tax rate is going to be," Deputy-Reeve Spillette commented. Councillor VanZant said that he was in favor of obtaining an architect to work on the plans. Mayor Vale suggested that a committee be named first before council passes a resolution to build the hall. The motion was referred to approve that a committee be appointed to consider a fire hall and bring in a report to the council on the cost of construction.

## Theatre Theft "Inside Job"

A theft of \$581 from the Roxy theatre took place over the weekend. Chief Constable Byron Burbridge said today, "It was definitely an inside job."

There was definitely no break-in at the theatre according to the police. Whoever had taken the money from the safe purposely smashed a side window in an attempt to show that someone had broken in. From police evidence it was obvious that entrance had not been made through the window.

Chief Constable Burbridge and Constable Wm. Hill are investigating.

### FIRE CALL

The fire call at 1 o'clock this afternoon was a minor chimney fire at 21 Millard Ave., Newmarket.

The overhanging tree limb which was hit by a truck on Millard Ave. two weeks ago is still overhanging.

In another month, Newmarket officially and legally will be 200 acres larger. Newmarket can be called a Yonge St. town because its western limits will include approximately a mile of the well travelled highway. A hearing by the Ontario Municipal board at the council chambers Tuesday concluded the annexation arrangements between Newmarket and Whitechurch township.

All the land between Newmarket and Yonge St. will be taken into the town from Davis Dr. on the north to 30 or 40 rods south of Eagle St. on the south. A formal order for annexation is to be made by Newmarket this week and the annexation will be declared legal after 28 days.

There were only two objections worth noting. Representatives of two oil companies, Reliance and Imperial, were concerned about service stations being affected by Newmarket's by-law ending gasoline sales at 7 p.m.

The Imperial representative said that the Eagle St. station operated by T. M. Keffer, did most of its business at night. The Reliance representative said the Triangle station at Yonge and Eagle Sts. is in competition with other Yonge St. stations and that the by-law would be a burden on the business.

The chairman of the hearing said that he did not think the board should try and tell the town how to handle its by-laws but that the objections would be given consideration.

"There has been a tendency for the town to expand toward the west," said Mayor Jos. Vale, in giving evidence for Newmarket. "In 1946 we annexed a small part of Whitechurch where the extension of Park Ave. is now. In 1948 a considerable portion was annexed to provide land for the

Central Mortgage low rental housing development."

Last fall Whitechurch asked Newmarket to extend its boundaries to take in an area which would soon require township facilities and schools. Committees of the two councils decided to make the boundary a straight line and it was later decided to take Yonge St. as a more natural boundary line.

Small piecemeal annexations were making an irregular and confusing boundary, the mayor said, and it would be better to look to the future and go right to Yonge St.

"If the area is within the town, we can control its development and its rate of development. We can do some planning for the area now that it is within our jurisdiction," said Mr. Vale.

John Crawford, clerk of the township of Whitechurch, said "The area has been developing so fast that very soon there would be a utility problem and a school problem for the township. The township and its planning board felt that the land should be annexed by Newmarket."

At least 20 persons attended the meeting. Several ratepayers asked about the increase in taxes but there were no serious objections to the annexation.

Wesley Brooks, clerk of Newmarket, gave one illustration (Page 7, Col. 1)

## Expect Organization Of Local Civil Defence Before Long - Reeve

"Before long Newmarket is going to be asked to set up its own civil defence mechanism," Reeve Arthur D. Evans told council on Monday night. "All civic personnel will have to be trained to go to work as a co-operating team in case of any disaster or emergency. Although there has been no definite action for a plan involving the three levels of government, it is soon to come," he said.

The Reeve gave a report on a meeting of mayors and Reeves of the 27 municipalities in York County held in Toronto last Friday. They formed a committee for civilian defence out of which was appointed an 11-man committee to bring in a plan. They adopted a plan from suggestions made by Major General Churchill Mann.

The working committee will consist of the warden of the county, Reeve Brandon, Swansea, three from Toronto including Mayor McCallum, Mayor Norris, Mimico, representing the three Lakeshore municipalities, Reeve Sinclair, Etobicoke; Reeve Beech, York twp.; Reeve Haylen, North York; Crookford, Scarborough; Simpson, East York, and Reeve A. A. Cook, Aurora, representing the northern municipalities. It is expected to use the plan already prepared by Gen. Mann and Toronto Street Commissioner Bradley. Mayor McCallum had said that the former com-

mittee which had been set up in Toronto two years ago had done much work but that it was time something was done on the elected level.

"Toronto is considered a target area, Vaughan a cushion area and up here we are in an evacuation area," said Reeve Evans Monday night. "It is the opinion that the mayor of the municipality should be the head of the organization and civic personnel would be the trained technicians. Communications, transportation and services would be co-ordinated in the larger plan. It will be necessary to scatter and decentralize many services."

"The time will come when such things as potential storage places such as churches and the drill hall will have to be considered for storing food if it is needed. Accommodation for evacuees would be contemplated. Although there is no definite action yet, it will come before long," he said.

## Deputy-Reeve Continues Pressure For Law Against Smoke Nuisance

Deputy-Reeve J. L. Spillette reminded council again on Monday night that there was a smoke by-law to be considered. Mayor Joseph Vale said that a by-law would be before council next Monday night. He said that the town had received an answer from the railway board enquiring about preventing locomotives to fire up within town limits.

Mr. Spillette said that he had been shown three cases of personal problems in the previous three days caused by smoke. "One lady had to do her whole washing all over again," he said, "and it is not a pleasant task if the chances are it will get ruined by smoke again."

"On Sunday a little girl was brought to my door by her mother. She had been all dressed up in her best bib and tucker ready for Sunday-school. Her face and clothes were just smeared black

with this smoke.

"And there had been no trains going through town. At that time there were no passenger trains listed as running and the Lord's Day Alliance Act forbids the running of freight trains at that time," he said.

"The whole trouble is caused by this flake ash from smoke stacks," the deputy-Reeve said. "At least 90 percent of the emission of that flake ash can be prevented by the installation of a certain type of stack equipment with not too great a cost."

"We've got to do something for these taxpayers. I'm not usually bothered by phone calls and complaints but lately I have been getting a lot of them and I think they are perfectly legitimate ones. The reason people are phoning me is probably because I introduced a motion for that smoke by-law last fall."

### S. S. 3 AND NEWMARKET

## See End Of School Problems In Union

A sharp increase in Newmarket's non-resident school fees has started a chain reaction which may end in union with East Gwillimbury's S.S. 3, north of Newmarket. At a meeting last Friday night, the Newmarket board raised fees to 53 cents a day per pupil.

As a result, a proposal has been made for the union of the section with Newmarket; the Newmarket school board showed interest in the idea on Friday night. The union was proposed by the school inspector, O. M. McKillop at the Friday meeting, to solve what he called "a 30 year problem in the school section." Two trustees from S.S. 3 also attended the meeting.

On Monday night, the Second Street S.S. 3 schoolhouse was jammed when a meeting of ratepayers was held. They unanimously approved of sending a petition to the East Gwillimbury council for school section union with Newmarket.

The south part of S.S. 3 takes in homes which are built beyond the north limits of Newmarket in East Gwillimbury township. The section has a rural school which cannot accommodate all children in the area and the section has been paying for the education of 47 students from the south part in Newmarket

### ANNEXATION RUMOR

It has been reported that some residents who live in the south part of school section 3 at the north end of Newmarket are planning for an annexation petition.

A petition has been drawn up ready for signature. If the petition were completed it would be presented to the Newmarket council requesting that it annex the build-up area north of the town limits which is now in East Gwillimbury township.

If the area were annexed, the same educational facilities as the union school plan offers would be available to the residents.

ket school without missing a day, it will cost the section \$10 a month to educate him. According to Garfield Wright, East Gwillimbury school trustee, a taxpayer only pays back about \$4 a year in school tax.

With such a situation, where the cost of educating a child is far beyond a school tax, Mr. McKil-

### Only solution

On Friday night the Newmarket board made a definite decision to increase school fees for non resident pupils to 53 cents a day. It meant that if a pupil from S.S. 3 attends a Newmarket school,

lop offered the union school section plan as the only solution he could find to the problem. A previous suggestion had once been made for a new school for the south end of the section and another to let parents pay the costs of sending children to Newmarket schools and pay them a rebate on their school tax.

"A new school would raise the mill rate to 50 or 60 mills," said Mr. McKillop, "and it would also be unfair to ask people to pay over \$70 a year to educate each child and give them a rebate of only \$4 a year."

"And it is just as unfair to ask the section to pay the high costs and receive only the \$4 school tax," said trustee Wright. "One thing we obviously need too, is an equalized assessment."

Newmarket in Favor

"The union school section is the only solution I can think of," Mr. McKillop said.

The Newmarket board passed a resolution indicating that it would be interested in a union school section with S.S. 3 and even part of Whitechurch which sends children to Newmarket, providing the residents were willing to pay their share toward Newmarket school costs.

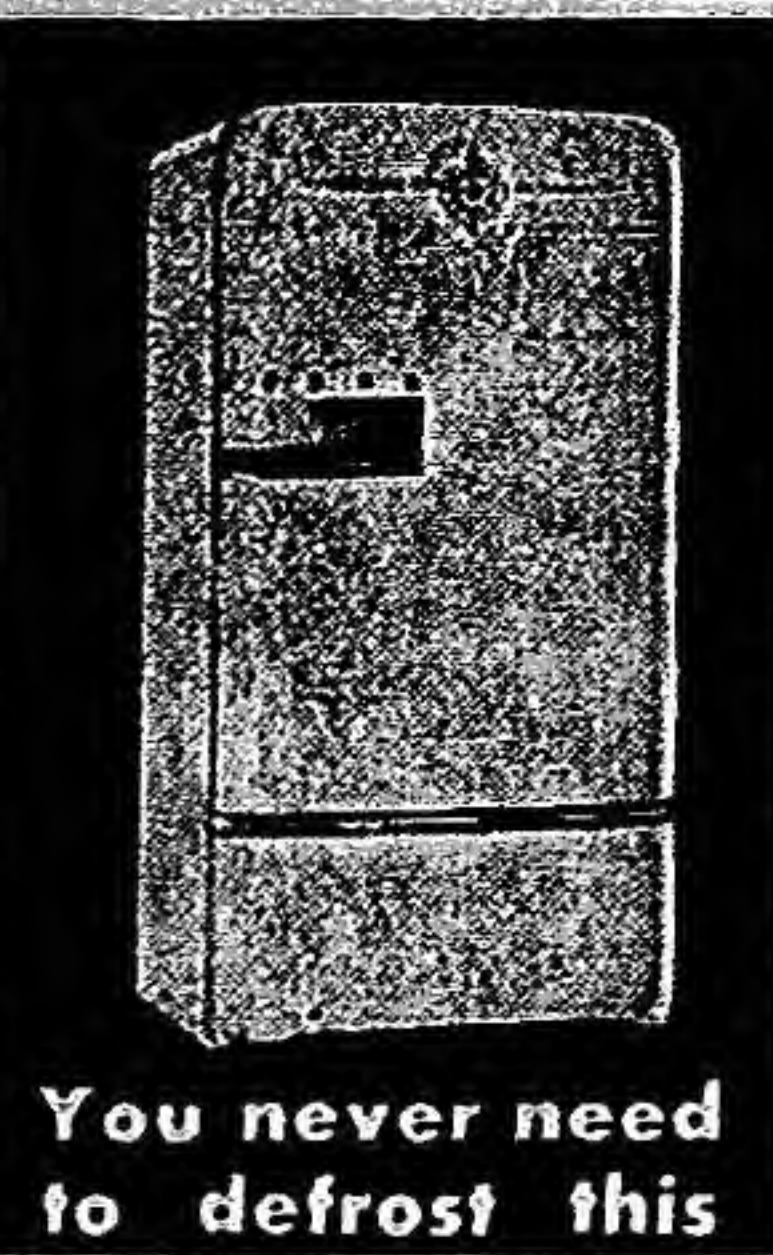
Costs Higher

The Newmarket board arrived

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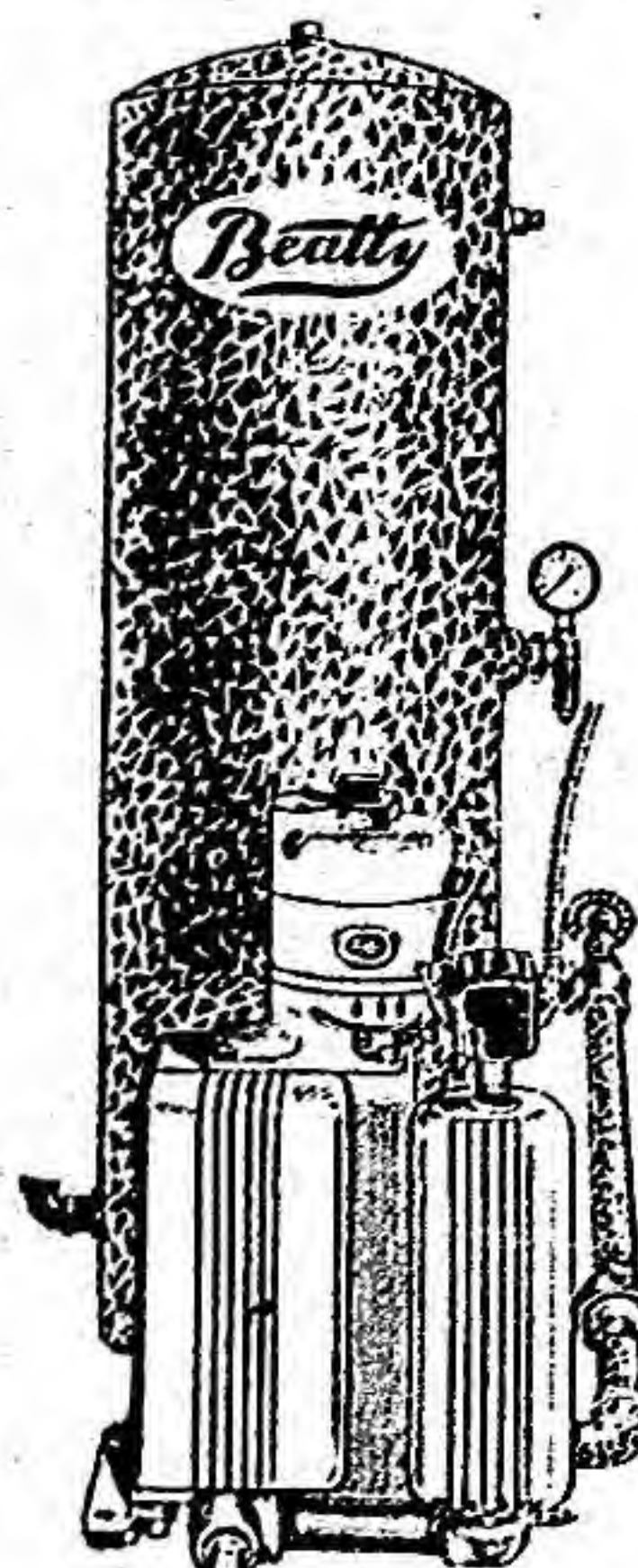
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## KETTLEBY

Mrs. Wm. Iredale, Toronto, was a weekend guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Schmidt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Curtis and Miss Jean Curtis spent Sunday in Newmarket with Mr. G. W. Curtis.

Miss Marion Archibald has returned to Toronto after being confined to bed with the chicken pox.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Barraclough spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Sloan, Schomberg, Ont.

The W.A. will be held next Tuesday, Feb. 6. All members are asked not to forget the handkerchief shower.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Little of Toronto attended the funeral of Mr. Little's mother, Mrs. Mary Little, and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Little.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blow, Langstaff, spent the weekend with Mrs. Blow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Geer.

Mrs. Jos. Beatty is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Leonard of Schomberg.

The annual vestry meeting of the church was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Greensides on Thursday, Jan. 25. Rev. F. V. Abbott gave a report of the year's work in the whole parish. There were 21 baptisms, 11 funerals and seven weddings.

The secretary treasurer gave the financial report. Receipts from all branches of the church organizations were \$1,558.18.

Officers elected were Vicar's warden, T. Judges; people's warden, E. Wood; secretary treasurer, E. Fry; parochial tribunal, R. Archibald and P. Muirhead; sidesmen, J. Harmon, W. Crane, H. Black, R. Reading, B. Judges and E. Fry; lay delegate, F. Beatty; auditors, R. Archibald and P. Muirhead; organist, Mrs. R. Archibald; assistant organist, Mrs. E. Haines.

A committee of N. Greensides, R. Archibald, T. Judges and E. Wood and F. Beatty was formed for the purpose of visiting every church member in the parish to try and get them to attend church regularly, and also to support it financially and to contribute towards the "Church Extension Fund" for which we have been asked to give the sum of \$127. We hope all our members will respond to the call when the committee calls upon them.

Meeting closed with prayer. The 4th Line Euchre club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Judges on Tuesday, Jan. 23.

The deepest sympathy of the community is extended to the family of the late Mr. J. Cutting in their recent sad bereavement. Christ Church Sunday school is having a skating party on Kettleby rink on Saturday, Feb. 3. We hope all members will be present.

Farm Forum met on Monday, Jan. 28, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Geer for a social evening. Next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Proctor on Monday, Feb. 5, at 8 p.m.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. R. Hunter who celebrated their wedding anniversary on Saturday, Jan. 27.

Birthday greetings to Mrs. R. Marchant whose birthday is on Friday, Feb. 2. We wish you many many more Birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harmon motored to Toronto on Tuesday, to visit friends.

Sunday, Jan. 28, was the day set aside to consider the "social services" of the church and a retiring collection was taken up for "Ingles House" as our contribution to this cause. As many of our members were not present at this service, we hope they will be able to attend next Sunday's service and make their contribution so that every member may feel that he has done his share.

Services at Christ church will be Sunday school 2 p.m., evening service 3 p.m.



Although they look like representatives of a multi-power military conference, they are actually students attending the 1951 course of the Canadian Army Staff College at Kingston, Ont. Representing eight nations of the world, they are, from left to right: Capt. R. G. Chaigneau, France, and Capt. Piero Santoro, Italy, both in Canada under the North Atlantic Treaty organization training plan; Capt. G. L. Cochrane, Canada; Lieut.-Col. M. Ismail, Pakistan; Lt.-Col. Steve Chappuis, U.S.; Col. W. A. B. Anderson, director of the staff college; Brig. A. C. Iyappa, India; Capt. J. M. Maxwell, Australia; and Major A. N. B. Ritchie, United Kingdom.

## Hog Producers, Herd Groups Report Good Years At Annual Meetings

When the price of pork is low, it is easy to get out a large group of producers to a meeting but this year's annual of the York County Hog Producers' Association not only had a full house when they met in the agricultural board room at Newmarket last Thursday but they had a remarkable attendance of members who had not been out in previous years.

While current prices are satisfactory, there was some concern expressed regarding the possible importation of American pork from the standpoint of maintaining our present clean bill of health.

Following the reports of the officers, a novel series of colored slides and commentary was presented by a representative of a well known feed company to show by actual photographs the development of the unborn litter at various stages. Everyone was impressed more than ever with the necessity of a good feeding program for sows from breeding to farrowing time.

The guest speaker, R. H. Graham, associate director of the Ontario livestock branch, announced that a pig hatchery is being established near Milton to be operated by private interests in co-operation with his department. A word of warning was given to those who think they are breeding hybrids when actually they are producing cross-breeds which should never be returned as breeding stock.

Questioned regarding the reported spread of diseased animals through community sales, Mr. Graham stated that strong representations have been made requesting regulation to govern the health of stock consigned to this sale. A resolution was passed at the meeting in support of such a step.

Allan Loveless, Agincourt, was again elected president with Thos. Lowndes, Keswick, vice president. Secretary - treasurer, Jas. C. Fraser, Agincourt, was also re-elected. The members from the various townships met in separate groups during the lunch hour to appoint township committees and each township chairman becomes a director.

Each township committee will be responsible for the selection of hogs for the Bacon Show to be held in conjunction with the Seed Fair on March 13 at Newmarket. They will also organize groups to visit local packing plants to study hog marketing.

## JERSEY ANNUAL

Forty Jersey breeders gathered at the department of agriculture office in Newmarket last week for the annual meeting of the York County Jersey club. Retiring president Archie Little in his address reported a successful year and mentioned in particular the outstanding Jersey show held at Richmond Hill on May 24.

Expecting to hear Jim Bremner, Canadian secretary, tell of his recent trip to Jersey Island, the group was sorry to hear that the "flu" had caught up with him and that he was unable to be present. Bert McGrath, who had accompanied Mr. Bremner, gave an interesting account of conditions on the island, emphasizing that there were plenty of good cattle there, but it took a lot of money to buy them. Harold Butcher, secretary of the Ontario Jersey Cattle club, brought greetings from that organization and spoke briefly on provincial happenings.

Hugh Sheardown, Schomberg, was elected president for the year 1951 with Ross Chapman, Queensville, as vice president. Directors elected were Hugh

## MOUNT ALBERT

Mr. and Mrs. Don Loach, Toronto, were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Rennie.

Keep the date of Saturday, March 3, for the minstrel show put on in the hall by the library board.

Mrs. Doris Stewart and Miss Lillian Kingston, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Draper.

Your Blue Cross fees are due. Please pay them and do not have to be reminded.

Mr. Ed Haigh is convalescing at his home after an operation in a Toronto hospital last week.

Mr. John Olsson, Nanaimo, paid a short visit to his mother, Mrs. J. Olsson, this week.

The Cheerio club met on Saturday evening with Miss Eva Morrison at the home of Mrs. Beverly Sinclair with 27 ladies present.

Mrs. C. Rolling and Mrs. Davis were in charge of the program which included a piano solo by Diane Davis, a duet by Eleanor Rate and Marion Sedore and an interesting talk and demonstration on leather goods by Mrs. Bruce Rolling.

Roll was answered by "model your oldest hats". Ten dollars was donated to cancer fund, Toronto.

Mrs. Tressa Copeland was a weekend guest of her cousin, Mrs. Roy Carr, and Mr. Carr.

Mrs. Jessie Williamson and Miss Mildred Dike, Toronto, spent the weekend in town with relatives.

A short course was held on Thursday and Friday last week by Miss Broadfoot of the department of agriculture on Good School Lunches at the home of Mrs. Macpherson. It was well worth the time spent at it by those who attended. Put on by the nutrition section of the Women's Institute branch, it is only one of the many free services given to the public. Yet so few take advantage of these extra lessons which mean so much in preparing food today and especially for those who have lunches to make for children every day.

Mrs. Martha Dunn, Ridgeway, was visiting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Steeper.

The World Day of Prayer will be held on Friday, Feb. 9, at 2.30 p.m. in the United church. All women of every denomination unite that day in prayer.

The farmers' night in the community hall on Tuesday evening put on by Taylor Beal and chamber of commerce was a decided success and proved educating and instructive.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wagg and Linda, Belleville, spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Stewart.

Mrs. W. D. Stokes came up from Belleville with Mr. and Mrs. Wagg and will visit at the home of her brother, Mr. J. Arnold, and Mrs. Arnold for a few weeks.

The next community card party and dance under the auspices of the Women's Institute will be held in the town hall on Tuesday evening, Feb. 6. Proceeds of this party will go towards purchasing dishes for the hall.

## AURORA HIGH NEWS

Basketball, Jan. 23, boys: at St. Andrew's College, Aurora Sr. 24, St. Andrew's Sr. 23; Aurora Jr. 17, St. Andrew's Jr. 12;

Girls: at Aurora high school, Newmarket Jr. 19, Aurora Jr. 11; Newmarket Sr. 11, Aurora Sr. 4.

Debates are being held in the class rooms to pick the best debaters to hold debates between the different classes. The school pupils and teachers sent their "get well" wishes to the students who have been shut in with measles and chicken pox. — Marilyn Thomson.

February has five Sundays about three times in every century.

## Vandorf News

A Community Night sponsored by the Vandorf Women's Institute will be held in Vandorf hall on Friday evening, Feb. 9, at 8 o'clock. A good entertainment of music and skits, with a lucky draw on rug. Proceeds to the Wilkie Fund in Aurora. There will be a sale of useful articles, hot dogs and soft drinks and dancing. Come everyone and have a good time, no admission.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Harper of Toronto entertained on Sunday in honor of Mr. Harper's uncle, Mr. W. D. MacDonald, who celebrated his birthday. The immediate family, Mr. and Mrs. Cooke, Mr. and Mrs. William Day and son Renrick also were invited guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford King, Aurora, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bush of Scotland, Ont., visited Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Switzer Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Babcock and Mary of Toronto and their son John of Guelph visited Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Switzer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mackey had Saturday evening supper with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Graham.

Mrs. George Richardson had Sunday dinner with her mother, Mrs. Graham, and the Crawford family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cooke and Donna, Toronto, spent Sunday

day with Mr. and Mrs. Austin Richardson and family.

Mr. Madill is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. A. Richardson, and family.

This community extends congratulations to Bob Petch in winning second place in the Provincial Safe Driving test and farm machinery adjustment competition at the Coliseum in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Coult of Midhurst visited their daughter, Mrs. Jack Robinson, and Mr. Robinson and family on Sunday.

Wesley Ladies' Aid regular meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Bert Baber on Wednesday, Feb. 7. Topic and devotional "praise and prayer" will be taken by the 4th line north, Mrs. E. Hawtin and Mrs. G. Fletcher. Roll call is an answer to prayer. Hostesses are Mrs. John Crawford, Mrs. Sam Dickie, and Mrs. Harold Dowsbury.

Mrs. Alfred Stuffles of Newmarket and Mrs. Percy Allin of Aurora had dinner on Tuesday with Mrs. Herbert Oliver and later spent the afternoon with Mrs. Norman Steckley of Stouffville.

Remember the date of the W.I. meeting to be held a week earlier on Feb. 14.

## Teen Topics

By CRIS MOORE

'Teen Topics' is based on letters received and does not necessarily apply to any one individual.

Dear Cris:

My family and I have just moved into a strange town. Naturally, we are interested in making friends. Although I had plenty of friends back home, I was always very slow at cultivating new ones. I am a girl, and am about 17 years of age, if that is of any help to you.

A.E.L.  
It seems to me that the easiest, and possibly the quickest way to cultivate friendships is to join a church. There, you will make friends through Sunday School, and Young People's groups.

If you are still going to school, there are various ways to find friends through clubs, and extracurricular activities. And if you aren't going to school, you will no doubt have ample opportunity to make friends with your fellow workers.

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**GROUNDHOG DAY**

**GOLDEN GLOW**  
says

Tomorrow is Candlemas Day, Feb. 2! Nowadays folks forget that it was once kept as a special religious day on the church calendar, and you will hear folks laughingly refer to it as Groundhog Day! Yes, Mr. Groundhog is regarded as a sure sign, by lots of people, whether we will have an early or a late spring. I expect you know the sign without me telling you that if the groundhog sees his shadow, he will go back down his hole to his winter quarters, and we'll have another six weeks of winter weather. A good many have it down to science, and Mr. Groundhog must come up out of his hole exactly at high noon tomorrow, sit up on his haunches to sniff the air, and look around. Then, if he sees his shadow, he is supposed to scurry back to winter quarters and snooze away for six more weeks!

I recall several years ago reading about a society of firm believers in the groundhog theory, and they would solemnly wend their way to a place, already certified as a groundhog's winter home, and take up positions suitable for making correct observations of Mr. Groundhog's activities.

It isn't only in our country they claim this legend for when I took my matriculation at High school (I bet the others in the class will also remember) we had for German prose "Stories of small people" - and the Badger of Candlemas was one.

**Old Celebration**  
But apart from this Candlemas has also a very interesting and picturesque side. The very name Candlemas, will tell you that! It was a service, celebrated every year on Feb. 2 in the churches in olden days, when all the candles that would be used that year in church were blessed. In the Prayer Book it is called The Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary, and was really the presentation of Christ in the temple by his mother, forty days after His birth, following the custom of those days. It is beautifully told in St. Luke's gospel. It originated in the days of Israel's deliverance from bondage in Egypt, when God saved the first-born of the Children of Israel when the destroying angel smote all the first-born in Egypt, and Pharaoh finally let the Israelites go. The Children of Israel always, after that, dedicated the first-born son to the service of the temple until the tribe of Levi were later set apart for the priestly service. If you have not read the account of the "ten plagues" very recently, why not turn to the 12th chapter of Exodus and refresh your memory?

If you are interested in the legend of the groundhog, why not watch the weather at high noon tomorrow and check up for yourself?

**More About The "Stone"**  
Last month I was greatly interested in the removal of "the Stone of Destiny" from Westminster Abbey - what we call the "Coronation Stone", and it still is missing. There are numerous theories concerning it, and one guess, so far, is as good as another. I have had several ask me to write more on the subject. Indeed there is little more that I can add to what I have already written. There are a great many who believe it is all

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**Farm Federation News**

The monthly meeting of the York County Federation of Agriculture was held in Markham council chambers, Unionville, January 28. Charles Hooper, president, was absent because of sickness and F. Marritt chaired the meeting.

W. Buchanan gave a report on a short course he attended at Ontario agricultural college. There was a discussion on financing the federation by one-half of one mill on the farm assessment. H. Wick and D. Raymer reported that this system was working satisfactory in Markham twp. R. Roundtree explained how the committee in Vaughan twp. worked to have an assessment system adopted for federation expenses. J. Syme reported progress in Whitchurch twp. on the assessment system.

A report of the first organization meeting in King twp. was given.

Two pamphlets from other counties showing the work that these county federations are doing and projects they are working on brought on a lively discussion.

W. Knights said that some means of getting more information to the farm people about county unit must be undertaken. A committee was appointed to study the field of publicity and to report at the next meeting.

R. Roundtree introduced the editor of the Woodbridge paper. Mr. Roundtree said that the federation should send in more news of the work to our York county papers.

A member of the newly formed King twp. committee suggested that a panel for discussion be set up. And that this panel be available for any township that wished to organize.

It was urged that directors who could not attend meeting should send someone in their place. The suggestion was made after the meeting that each director bring a visitor to each meeting.

Some townships at the north of the county are asking for assistance to organize township units.

a myth about it having once come from the Holy Land - that it was the stone that Jacob used for a pillow and next day set up as a pillar (I don't mean that for a pun!) at Bethel and later came back for it, and it went everywhere the Israelites travelled - the Coronation Stone had rings in it, and showed a good deal of wear, proving the fact that it had evidently been carried. That it was with them in their 40 years in the wilderness is proved by Moses striking "the" rock when they were dying of thirst for naturally there are no rocks in the desert.

But what I want to add is a further item I heard over the radio one morning stated that someone had declared it was in Scotland and that he was an accessory to the fact both before and after its removal. Well - again we are under the impression as I said before in an article, that it is already back in the Holy Land - and many believe that it is in Tel-A-Viv. We will know some day. I lean to the belief that it was taken back to Jerusalem, but how can we know? We will have to wait and see!

**Spare That Tower**  
Just a last word or two. I went to market last Friday, and I was delighted to see work on it being pushed ahead rapidly. I hear that, when completed, market will be held down in the basement. I am still hoping against hope that we can retain the old tower with the flag-staff that has marked with its flag so many historic occasions and celebrations - yes, and at half-mast many times as well, to mark the passing of monarchs, statesmen, public men, and our own Newmarket heroes of both wars, as well as our town dignitaries.

I hate to think of it - our town hall I mean - as a modern flat-topped municipal building, just as we'd miss the grand old steeple on our Christian church! Still if it has to be, who am I to complain? I just like old Newmarket the way it always has been - as I have remembered it ever since I was a girl going to school, first to the old "Primary" where the King George now stands, then up to the Alexander Muir, then on to our splendid High school. No wonder I love Newmarket and everything connected with it - even the old Newmarket canal of ancient fame! I think I'll have to write about it some day! and Sharon Temple and the historic old anchor at Soldiers' Park, Holland Landing.

**MOUNT ZION**  
(Too late for last week)  
Despite the deep snow a number of ladies attended the W.M.S. meeting at Mrs. H. Coles' home.

Mr. Elgin Cole and Leona, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Hoover, Stouffville, motored to Coe Lake last weekend to visit Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Hoover.

Word has been received in the community from Rev. and Mrs. H. W. Hallman. They left New York on the 16th of November and arrived in Africa on the 17th

**CANADIAN PLOWMEN ABROAD**  
by V. C. PORTEOUS \* Director  
ONTARIO PLOWMEN'S ASSOCIATION



Editor's Note: This is the second of a series of weekly stories which V. C. Porteous, a director of the Ontario Plowmen's Association, is writing about the visit of Canada's champion plowmen to the British Isles, Belgium, Denmark and the Netherlands.

London, England: It is just a little better than a week since we said goodbye to our relatives and friends in Canada and now we are in the great city of London. Our long anticipated "invasion" of the British Isles is now well underway. If the next five weeks prove to be as exciting as the past one, we'll certainly have a lot to talk about when we get home.

But to pick up where I left off in my last letter which was written the first day out on the Atlantic ocean aboard the Queen Mary. As this was the first ocean voyage for all of us we never ceased to be amazed. The accommodation and service on that big ship - about a quarter of a mile long - was all that one could desire. We had coffee in bed every morning, which none of us got at home. We found the meals excellent and the menus had considerable variety.

There were facilities and services of every sort aboard including swimming pool, bar, tennis court, gymnasium, library, bank, drug and general merchandise shops; even a hospital with doctors and nurses. Fortunately we didn't have to use the hospital but we found all the other services reasonable, in many cases more so than those to be had on land. The ship's crew was most obliging and even though the ship rolled a little, life on the ocean wave was indeed agreeable.

"The Queen" made good time crossing the Atlantic. At 6 a.m. of the fifth day out of New York she dropped anchor at Cherbourg, France. But she stayed only long enough to discharge some passengers and cargo and we were soon on our way again to England. At 1 p.m. "the Queen" docked at Southampton, our destination.

Waiting on the dock to greet us were representatives of the Anglo-American Oil Co. They helped us clear customs and in a short time we were on the train to London. There we were met by officials of Ontario House and they escorted us to the Cumberland Hotel where we were installed.

**Who "We" Are**  
For the benefit of those who did not read the first letter in this series I would like to explain that when I use "we" I mean Hugh Leslie, Georgetown, Ont., and Herbert Jarvis, Agincourt, gold medal winners in the Esso Champions' Trans-Atlantic classes for tractor and horse plowing respectively at the International Plowing Match last October. Top prizes put up by Imperial Oil were all-expense-paid tours of the United Kingdom and Europe. I was appointed manager of the team by the Ontario Plowmen's Association, sponsor of the International matches.

On our first full day in London we went by train to visit the National Agricultural Experimental Machinery Institution which is operated by the department of agriculture of Great Britain. It is located at a place called Silsoe in Bedfordshire. It consists of 250 acres and was part of an estate formerly owned by the Duke of York, now King George VI.

There we met Mr. John Hawkins who has made an extensive study of plowing methods. When I mentioned that we in the Ontario Plowmen's Association are interested in setting up a standard method of plowing to be used at international matches throughout the world, instead of the variety of methods that are used today, he was in agreement. He offered to lend his assistance to any efforts we may make in that direction. This was gratifying and makes me feel that the day may not be long off when we will have a universal standard. Perhaps by the time I get back home there will be more to report on this matter.

The following day R. H. Stapleford, Ontario House, took us on a short sightseeing tour. We saw many famous landmarks and districts and my feeling is that there is no city in the world quite like London. Even though there are big gaps caused by flying bombs and air raids, it still has an air of grandeur and solidity. To these qualities may be added that of hominess. It is no wonder that our boys who were here during the war possess an affection for the city that is only exceeded by their love for their home town.

**Luncheon Guests**  
Our tour ended at the residence of Col. James S. P. Armstrong, agent general for Ontario, where we were guests at lunch. It was an enjoyable affair and among the other guests were D. A. Bruce Marshall, agricultural secretary at Canada House who is

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We find this weather, to say the least, disconcerting. A few days ago we were in the house of Councillor and Mrs. Rudy Renzius. We had just thawed our water pipes. In the Renzius house there were budding shrubs which they had picked in their garden a day earlier.

This sort of thing just doesn't make sense. Possibly we are going through one of those climatic cycles you hear about. Maybe, when we are old and grey the cycle will be complete and we will be telling our grandchildren in the midst of an Arctic blizzard, about the great thaw of '51 when the ducks were swimming on the front lawn in January.

We notice the Mount Albert Horticultural society includes in its annual program the maintenance of a cemetery in the village. It's a project that could be emulated in Newmarket where the old Anglican cemetery at the edge of town has almost disappeared in a tangle of bramble and brush.

The Newmarket society might find unexpected benefits if it were to undertake the task. The cemetery has considerable historical significance and it could be made into an attractive tourist site. The work might encourage the renovation of other local historical sites and increased attention from tourists.

Surveys show that the average tourist comes to Canada to sight-see and in the process, spends considerable money. It is a shame to permit them to travel up Yonge St. past Newmarket without at least some hint of the history of the street and the historical sites which can be found within a short distance of their route.

The Newmarket Lions club are going to put on another minstrel show, a welcome piece of news for the club choristers.

Alex Eves will direct the show, as he has the last two performances, and the cast will be much the same, a circumstance which will encourage the early sale of tickets.

But if the faces behind the black grease-paint are the same, the songs and routines will all be new. One of the major attractions of the previous shows was the freshness of the skits, changing sometimes each night of the run. The inventive genius of Ang. West and Gene McCaffrey had a lot to do with the variety and there is no indication that they are short of inspiration for this year.

The Lions Minstrel show is rapidly becoming a town institution, certainly a welcome one, judging from the audiences. It is something more than song and chatter. It presents a pleasant opportunity for laughing at ourselves. It doesn't do anyone any harm to have a little fun poked at themselves and when the object of the fun is a town and all it stands for, the therapy is just as sound.

The show is running four days in the Newmarket town hall and will probably take to the road as in other years.

We picked this one up from the Financial Post and it tickled our fancy because it deals with a meticulous town clerk who might just as easily be Wesley Brooks of Newmarket, or Harold Clark of Aurora, or J. L. Smith up in Queensville. This clerk was greatly concerned that his minute books be absolutely proper in every way, so he was somewhat stumped for the right words when the council members left the chambers in a rush without proper adjournment procedure when there was an earthquake. After considerable thought, the clerk wrote in his book: "On a motion from the city hall, council adjourned."

## From the Files of 25 and 50 Years Ago

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Rather a small market here last Saturday morning. The prevailing prices were butter 45 and 46 cents; eggs 50 cents and chickens from 20 to 30 cents lb.

A branch Women's Institute was organized on Tuesday at Sharon. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Goodwin and Mrs. Chas. Doane presided, assisted by Mrs. Starr, Newmarket, and Mrs. Charles, Aurora. Eighteen members were enrolled. Officers are pres., Mrs. Phil Hamilton; vice pres., Mrs. Fred Glover, Mrs. Geo. Soules; sec.-treas., Mrs. J. S. Osborne. It was decided to name this branch the Sharon Institute.

York county council elected P. W. Pearson, reeve of Newmarket, as warden for 1926 at the opening session on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Geo. Kennedy, British Columbia, son of the late Christopher Kennedy and a former resident of Vancou, is visiting relatives and friends in the neighborhood.

Ice cutting is about to start on the Eaton Lake at King.

Mrs. Stanley Jones, Mrs. Bosworth, Miss Niles and Miss Forsythe attended the annual meeting of the Red Cross Society at the King Edward hotel and government house, Toronto, on Tuesday.

A beautiful organ, run by electric motor, has been installed in the King City United church.

Mrs. Cameron, Minnesota, is making an extended visit among friends and relatives in North Gwillimbury. She is a daughter of the late John Winch.

Very good market last Saturday and big crowd of people in town. Butter and eggs were about the same price, from 18 to 20 cents, the ruling figure was 19 cents. Dressed chickens sold from 60 to 70 cents and geese at seven cents per lb. Beef five and a half and six and a half by the quarter; pork \$8 per cut.

Miss Sadie Watson is spending a week with friends in town before resuming her studies at the Central Business College in Toronto.

York county council appointed councillor Woodcock and Mr. Jos. D. Davidson to compose the board of audit. Councillors Stokes and Ley were appointed Industrial Home commissioners. J. C. Rush was appointed as the county's pupil at the Guelph agricultural college for the ensuing term.

Mr. Walter Sharpe, son of the late Ingham Sharpe, is over from Iowa on a month's visit. It is over ten years since he left here and he is now superintendent of a construction company.

A union memorial service will be held in the town hall on Saturday afternoon for the late Queen Victoria. Addresses will be given by resident ministers and appropriate music by the town band and male quartet. The town hall will be draped and the service will be military.

Miss Clara Brereton, Schomberg, entertained a number of friends at an "at home" last Friday evening.

Grippe and scarlet fever are prevalent.



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## THE EDITORIAL PAGE

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THURSDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF FEBRUARY, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY-ONE

### WE CANT ESCAPE IT!

The misery of the refugees in Korea is without precedent in history. Millions of them, caught in the whirl of a battle that has sea-sawed the length of the peninsula, have been blown about like leaves in a whirlwind. Their suffering is beyond our comprehension; it is too great for us to understand.

The bare phrases of Trooper Ray Taylor, Zephyr, who has recently come home from Korea tell us more in their understatement than the black headlines. "It's not a very nice place to be, over in Korea," he told The Era and Express. "I wouldn't want to be in Pusan for very long. People here simply do not realize. . ."

The pity of it is that there is so little that can be done for them. To be able to help a bit might make it easier to look at the pictures of orphaned children or to read of the thousands frozen to death nightly.

"People here simply can't realize. . ." Canadians really haven't done very much to help halt the advance of communism in Korea, or any place else, not even at home. We have lent our money and our arms, our brains and some of our fighting men. But it hasn't cost us very much. It hasn't lowered our standard of living particularly. It hasn't lengthened our hours or made more arduous our daily effort.

Do Canadians really believe they can win their share of the battle without hurt? Do they really believe that the deaths of hundreds of thousands of men and women and children in Korea and along the perimeter of Russian expansion can become a page in history without disturbing their ways? One must look long and keenly before there is evidence of the foreknowledge and a willingness to accept the cost.

Where is our fault? Are we blind? Are our hearts like stone, our ears stopped and our eyes blinded by our own apathy? Is "business as usual" to be the criterion of our effort? Are the palliatives of the politicians, the "no war in my lifetime" to be the slogans of our contribution?

We don't have to work ourselves into a frenzy of patriotism with blowing bugles and unfurled flags so that the world will know we're ready. It's not that kind of a battle. The strength to win is not in the outward show; it is in the quiet determination to resist and in the willingness to accept the cost of that resistance.

The planes we build and the guns we mount are only the tools of battle. The measure of victory will be found in the strength of our own hearts and wills. We may never have to fire a shot in our defence, but the battle will have been fought—in our hearts. Our victory then will be the forging of an united determination to face every sacrifice to keep our freedom.

### CONSTRUCTIVE APPROACH

Mr. Harold Tite is a man with a concern about the course that youngsters today are too frequently shaping out for themselves. In this, Mr. Tite has considerable company. There are very few adults who give unqualified approval to the younger generation. Mr. Tite, however, is unique because believing there is something wrong, he has set about to see what he can do to correct it.

Mr. Tite has organized a little group of youngsters whose purpose is to repair toys for those who are less fortunate. Before Christmas, the boys under Mr. Tite's direction repaired toys for inclusion in the Lions Christmas baskets. Since Christmas, their efforts have been directed towards helping the patients at the Ontario Hospital at Aurora.

Mr. Tite is a contractor and he is able to teach his boys skills of the hand and eye in the repair of toys, skills which will stand them in good stead in later life. With this experience, there is a more important contribution, the development of a sense of responsibility, a practical lesson in doing for others.

There is a school of social workers who believe that the organization of sports and similar activities is adequate to keep youngsters out of mischief, and perhaps they are right. But we prefer Mr. Tite's approach. A kid can learn almost anywhere how to be rid of his excess energy, but it is only in the groups like that of Mr. Tite's that he learns a sound lesson in citizenship.

### HAVE YOU BOYS MET?

There is no doubt of air attacks on North American centres in event of war, and there is no doubt that a policy of dispersal of essential industries would do much to lessen damage to these industries at a time

when their continued production is most important. But while no less an authority than Hon Brooke Claxton, minister of national defence, encourages these views, it is apparent that they are not entirely shared by the employees of the government.

The Midland Free Press Herald quotes an instance of this contradiction: It prints the following statement from Mr. Claxton:

"... It would be foolhardy not to take into account the possibility, indeed the probability, of air attack in the event of a general war."

"A dispersed population and industry offer a poor target to enemy aircraft. . . Dispersion can be achieved through the planned location of new . . . industries and important installations so as to establish them outside an area which might be affected in a well-directed . . . attack. . . Planned dispersal would have a generally beneficial effect on living standards in peacetime and lead to greater security in war."

And follows this with the recent announcement of Major-Gen. John H. MacQueen, president of the Canadian Arsenal Ltd., a \$90 million crown company, that "electronics production facilities will be expanded with the building of a new \$2 million plant in Toronto."

As the Midland paper suggests, isn't it time that Mr. Claxton and Gen. MacQueen were formally introduced.

### FOOD ADVERTISING

The members of the Holt Farm Forum believe that farmers should advertise their produce, an opinion which they share with some 80 percent of the forums in Canada. This conclusion was their answer to the question asked on the January 8 forum broadcast: "Do you think it is a good idea or not for farm organizations to collect money from farmers for the purpose of promoting the sale of their products as the Dairy Farmers of Canada are doing with dairy products?"

The fact is that Canada possesses a huge, untapped market for food products. Nutritional studies have shown that Canadians do not eat enough of the right kind of food. If the demand for farm products was in keeping with the nutritional needs of the average Canadian, we doubt if there would be any farm surpluses.

There is only one way by which to reach that market and that is by persuading Canadians to invest more money in food, and the surest manner in which this can be accomplished is by advertising and, as the Holt forum suggests, more attractive packaging. It's no longer enough to go along in the belief that because each Canadian should eat a certain amount of food daily that he will. Studies of the level of national health show that this no longer applies if, indeed, it ever did.

To reach this market, the farmer must compete with the hundreds of counter-attractions of other goods and services, and he can do it effectively only if he advertises his message across the country.

### CHEAPER MILK DISTRIBUTION

We look upon "Dairy Farmer" with fresh respect. The columnist who takes care of the lower right-hand quarter of this page seems to have developed a remarkable sense of timing. In last week's issue he insisted that a major cause of the high milk cost to the consumer and low milk return to the producer was the daily milk delivery and suggested that milk be sold at two prices, a cash and carry price from milk depots, and a delivered milk price to include the service charge.

At the present time, the milk men on the delivery routes in Toronto are asking for another increase in pay, and the distributors contend that the increase means either fewer deliveries or a one and a half cent increase per quart to the consumer. The issue is currently before a conciliation board.

"Dairy Farmer" was also rather scathing in his criticism of the manner milk is handled after it leaves the farm gate. In the current issue of the Reader's Digest, the story is told of a milk distributor who pays top or better market price to farmers for their milk and sells to the consumer at 11 cents a quart. The distributor is Jim Lawson, Akron, Ohio, and his method is to sell milk in gallon jugs from 53 outlets of his own, and 41 independent dealers. In 1950, he sold 18,000 gallons of milk.

It took Lawson from 1938 to the present to build up his business and it was a rough battle all the way, but he has proven that milk can be sold more economically than is usual nowadays, and at the same time pay the producer a fair price. Toronto distributors might take note.

## Office Cat Reports Catnips By Ginger

"Literature," says Slim Bligens, "has lost something in the last 500 years. The days of the old ballads are gone and now that television is here, there's no hope of ever getting them back."

"Why should we worry about the old ballads?" I asked.

"Communal society," said Slim, "ain't got nothing to offer any more. Gone is that naive folk-community when the chief entertainment was a bard with a harp and a ballad."

"In the good old days of 4 or 500 years ago, if something happened, a murder or a robbery or some deed of prowess, a local bard would up and compose a ballad about it and everybody would gather at the local pub or the meetin' house and hear all about it in simple verse form."

"Well, it's simple, Slim! The reason we haven't got such folk traditions nowadays is that there's too much competition. The newspapers and radios can give a lot better news coverage than the old ballads can."

"And after all," I continued, "You still have a carry-over of the old folk-like ballad tradition in radio commercials. They get close to the hearts of the people with songs about Monday wash day blues, the day's toil and body perspiration, the little homey habits of the commodity consumers."

"None. I still argue that the old genuine association of ballads with the ways of the folk has been lost forever. But," said Slim, "I have here a modern old ballad which junior, the poet, and me got together and collaborated on."

"And you want to get it in print, I suppose," I said.

"The title of it is The Great Payroll Robbery," said Slim. "I have also written a score for harp accompaniment."

Here is Slim's ballad:

'Twas Frydaye noone in Aurora Towne,  
The sunne was shinning brytle,  
The Sismonne menne wower back to worke  
After their noone daye byte.

The Blue Snit was sninging his innery sponge,  
In the thrumblie brushe besyde,  
As the payrolle beareere bore his brail  
Of the payrolle yik betyde.

And when hee came to office doore,  
Great heaviness there hee had;  
The heavy loads of seven grande  
Was slymstnne alynnne a fadd.

For up behinde and won in fronte,  
Two thievers, the law wower oute,  
Did sticke a rodde betwixt his ribbs,  
The other did frettel froute.

"Ho, but not, 'tis merely a jeste,"  
The beareere, he laffe ty toffe,  
'Twas not no laffe y' talle,  
But flaine was he to find ty' touts.

Away flewe the robbers in a flee  
To the Mulocke syde-y-roade,  
And there hitchud themselves a ride to goe  
To cittle fore theire abode.

And one did marry a mittle maid  
To lyve happy ever a daye,  
To thev already hadd a wyfe  
Who'dst spend it anywae.

The moralle to this ballad is  
To marry a mickle ickle  
For if you are aschmit to glyt  
You will ick a schmick to bickle.

## by "Dairy Farmer" The Top Six Inches

While we are still on the subject of dairying, let us get some more opinions off our chest. This dairy business is important to us. We like cows. We like to work with them and work for them. We think breeding is a great science and art, and we would like our children, as yet small, to like it too.

Nothing would please us more than to spend all our time figuring out crosses and line breeding and all the rest of it, and this business of milk marketing keeps us from the job we really like. We don't think we should have to worry about this at all. Our idea of milk marketing is a strong, progressive producer group, with a few well paid employees and a cheque in the mail. How can we produce milk cheap if we have to bother about all the details of somebody else's job?

But time is passing and if somebody doesn't start some serious thinking and soon, the dairy business, and the whole milk business especially, will be in the trouble the butter industry is in now.

The whole business of milk marketing is old fashioned. It is outdated to ship milk in cans the distances we do. It should be done in glasslined tanks. It is old fashioned to merchandise milk in glass, delivering it door to door with horses and small trucks.

Milk is just about the last thing farmers produce which is sold out of control of the man who produces it. We have control of the milk the minute it leaves our vat. We don't weigh it, or have a neutral body do it. We don't test it for quality or butterfat. And we don't know what price we will get until the end of the month.

And the processors are peddling milk the way it was done when Toronto was one-quarter of its present size. And the efficiency is less and less and the returns smaller and smaller.

Where is the blame to be laid? Let us admit that the producer groups are at fault. Our organization lacks imagination and drive. It cries out about grievances of the past and does-

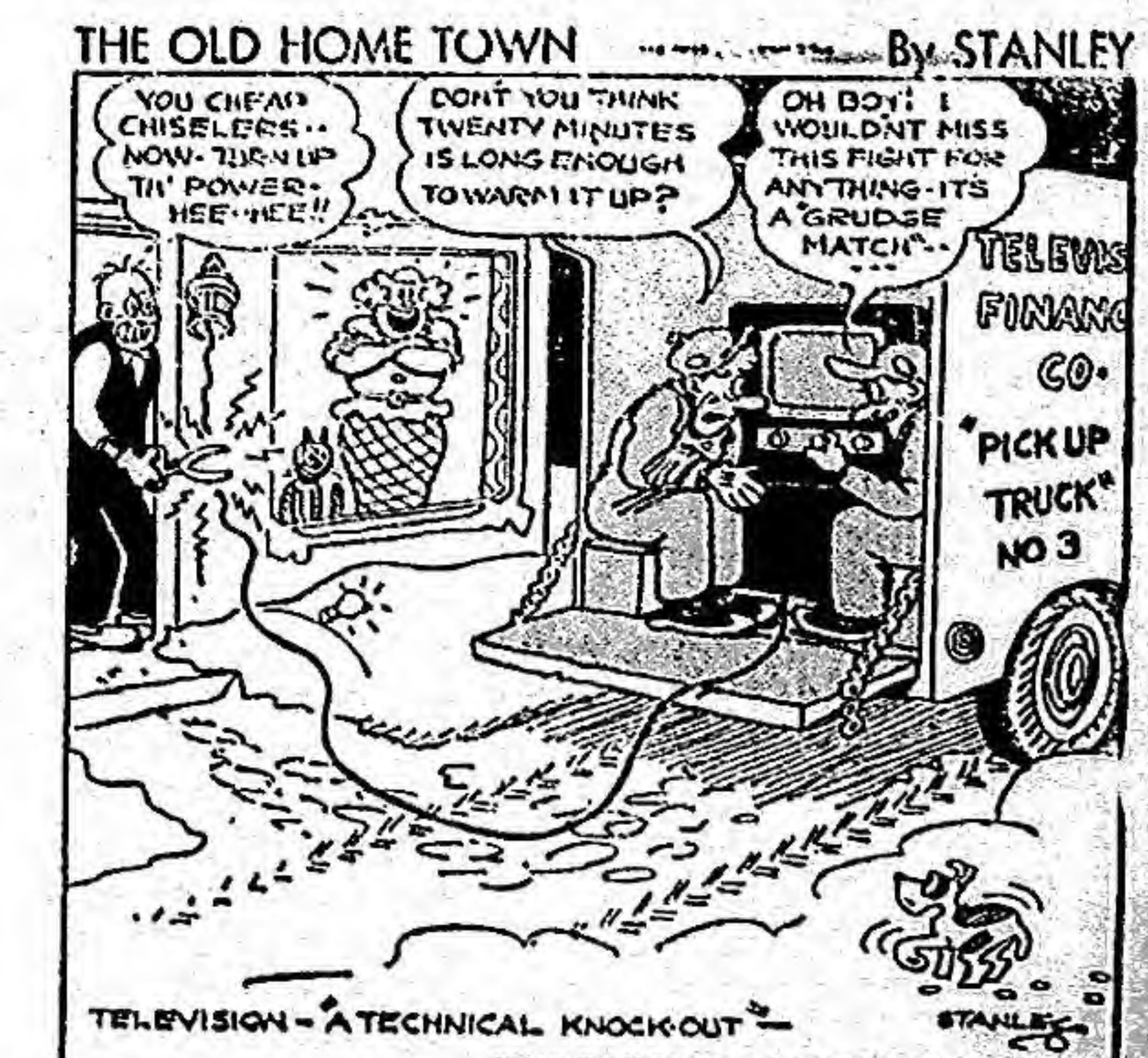
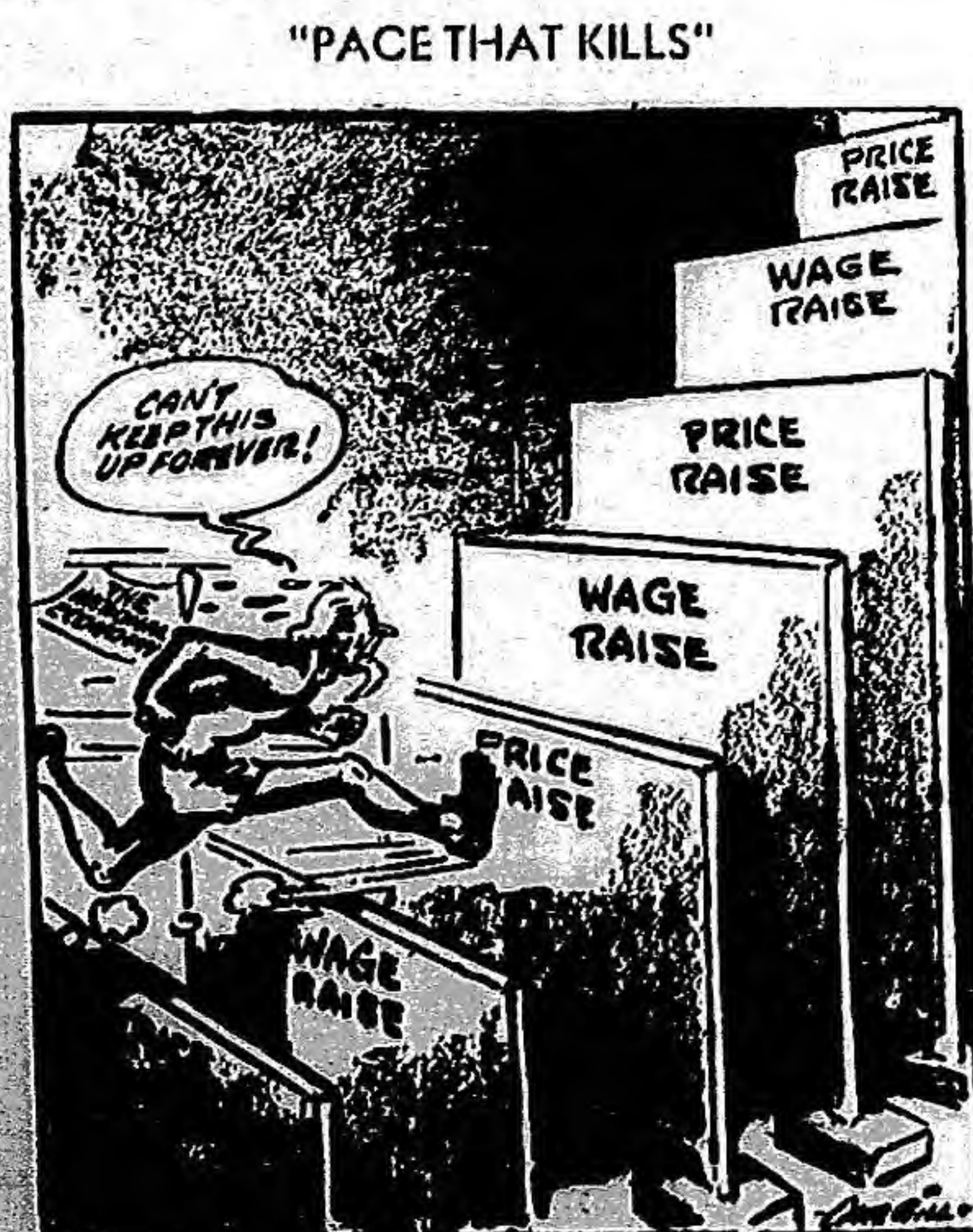
n't put forth the ideas which could be salvation of the industry. Our organization is old, the men at the head of it are old, and the way they are doing the thinking for us is old. What we have in the end is what we deserve—an organization which doesn't appeal to young men.

We should have a group which would market milk, taking advantage of every means at our disposal to be up to date. Let's not have a co-operative truck only. It is only changing the name on the door. Let's have a tank car and let's ship milk differently. Let's have a milk processing plant in Toronto where milk is sold on a cash and carry basis.

Secondly, the blame is to be laid on the doorstep of the processors, who knowing all the modern methods of handling milk try to go along the old way, less and less efficiently all the time, but still plugging along. They have failed to develop attractive merchandising. They never advertised properly and they failed to see ahead the growth of the city and now they are crying because labor is getting stronger and squeezing their profits. And want us to pay for it.

Thirdly, the blame is to be laid on the door step of the consuming public. They very seldom know what they are buying and milk is no exception. But we wouldn't like to blame them too much. It was the fault of the first two groups for not teaching them.

We could blame the government as well. But then again we shouldn't be too hard on it. We elected it. We don't want to be controlled but we will have to be controlled sooner or later, because the government will sooner or later realize that the supplying of milk is in the public interest, and since neither producers nor distributors seem to be responsible enough, the government will have to regulate the whole business. Then the producers and distributor will leave in peace like the lamb and the lion in the Bible, only we will all be crying about spilt milk.



The state is the servant, not the master, of the people; the state is their guarantee against infringement on their rights, their agent in international and national issues; it is not the function of the state to assume the direction of those activities which rest on individual choice.



## An Aurora Opinion

DOROTHY BARKER

Aurora Editor

There is no doubt, with the board of trade and council aware of our parking problem, that some progress is being made toward a partial solution. Aurora has clung tightly to the hand of lady luck, and during the past 11 months no serious damage to life or limb has been suffered on Yonge St. within the town limits.

We citizens must all be interested in the idea if it follows this pattern. Aurora is singularly fortunate in having council and the board of trade aware of the necessity for co-operation. For these two bodies, comprised mostly of local business people, to sit down at a round table conference and discuss the matter amicably is indeed commendable. But when the dollar sign is written before figures totalling thousands, enthusiasm wanes. This could even now happen to parking plans at present underway. Putting off the purchase of land because the price seems exorbitant is not going to reduce real estate values to bargain prices. We always have to pay in the highest market for our necessities.

Newmarket has spent \$45,000 for parking facilities. Naturally Aurora is not in the same population bracket. We are not suggesting that any such sum should be spent. But taking into consideration the trade angle, the fact that our town is on a main highway, the fact that we have no parking, the situation becomes even more critical than it would be if we were situated off the beaten track.

If our parking solution runs into even half of that of our neighbor, it will be cheap at the price if we plan for the future. We hope council will not measure this problem merely in terms of "land, gravel, levelling and lighting," but look ahead to the absolutely priceless asset presently obtainable property could prove to Aurora.

We are quite aware of the fact that municipal matters involving money move slowly. We are also aware that there should always be a definite plan before any project is launched. But the parking plan is a foregone conclusion. First a parking lot centrally located, then the widening of Yonge St., and finally parking meters. This is an intelligent perspective and one that has been pretty well thrashed out over the odd cup of java by every local driver. We cannot shoot holes

## King City And District

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Specifications and cost of a proposed fire engine for King were discussed at a public meeting of ratepayers on Friday, Jan. 25. Introduced by Chief George Brown, Norman R. Horrocks, representative for La France Fire Engine and Foamite Ltd., Toronto, described a fire truck at an estimated cost of \$10,350 including delivery charges.

The machine has a three-ton chassis with 500 G.P.M. pump at 120 lbs. pressure, four-inch suction hose capable of delivering two two and a half inch, two one and one half inch and one one and a half inch streams. The body is designed to include a 500-gallon tank with easy rear fill connections. Numerous fire department tools and equipment are included.

A summary of costs prepared by H. G. Rose, clerk-treasurer of King twp., was outlined by W. F. R. Hood, chairman of the meeting. On fire equipment costing \$10,000 the government grant is ten percent of the cost immediately following approval test. The subsidy at the start of the second year would be 25 percent or \$2,500. A balance of \$6,500 would remain, which could be paid by a ten-year debenture of \$6,500 at three and a half percent interest requiring an annual payment of \$781.58 equal to a rate of 3.6 mills based on the 1951 assessment or a 20-year debenture at a rate of 2.1 mills. The latter was not considered feasible. Opinion favored the proposed ten-year debenture.

It was pointed out that where volunteer fire brigades and fire-fighting apparatus are established there is considerable reduction in fire insurance rates.

Since it is necessary to secure a heated building for housing a fire engine, Chief Brown and Deputy Glass with Alex. Campbell were appointed to investigate location and cost of constructing a fire hall. It is expected that demonstration of the La France fire engine will be given in King in about two weeks' time when the public will have an opportunity to examine the construction of the machine.

Used Clothing Sale Popular  
The rummage sale, auction of white elephant articles and afternoon tea given by King Women's Institute on January 25, realized substantial profit. The proceeds were \$77. Since then much of the left over articles of used clothing have been sold by Miss Jessie Gellatly who offered her home for storage. An additional sum of \$16.25 has been added for a total of \$93.25. There are still some good articles of clothing available. It is intended to send the remainder of rummage items to Save the Children fund. The branch is indebted to several outside the organization who contributed many fine articles for sale. Mrs. Stanley Hunter as auctioneer for the white elephant items did a land office business.

Forum on Community Hall  
On Tuesday, Feb. 13, at 8.15 p.m., a program on community activities and public relations will be held in the basement of King United church. The leaders of local organizations have been invited to participate in an open discussion on the subject of a community hall. Current events on community activities will be discussed. Gordon Wells is program convener and the committee preparing refreshments is Mrs. Ross Walker, Mrs. L. E. Rolling, Mrs. Stanley Hunter, Mrs. Jas. Rock and Mrs. Jas. Brown.

Family Night for Laskay W.I.  
Laskay Institute will hold Family Night and Valentine social at W.I. hall on Tuesday evening, Feb. 6. The program convener is Mrs. Aubrey Glass with Mrs. Laurie Boys heading the recreation committee, assisted by Mrs. Marvin Hunter, Miss Winnifred Boys. Everyone is asked to provide refreshments.

On Saturday, March 3, Scouts and Cubs will collect waste paper. Household and business places will have ample time to save and bundle magazines and papers for a worthwhile cause. The surrounding district adjoining the village is included in the territory to be canvassed by the boys in co-operation with the group committee.

A euchre held by the Ladies' club of Robertson Masonic Lodge in King Masonic hall on January 23 was convened by Mrs. Isaac McQuarrie, assisted by Mrs. T. L. Williams, Mrs. Verdon Gordon, Mrs. C. E. Walkington. Lady winner was Mrs. Wilbert Jennings and Mrs. Len Shropshire.

consolation. Arwood Cairns and J. S. Walkington were first and consolation winners, while D. M. Ross took the "lady's" travelling prize and C. Connors the men's.

On Tuesday, Feb. 6, hostesses will be Mrs. Marvin Hunter, Mrs. Geo. Billings, Mrs. Ewart Jennings and Mrs. Geo. Armitage.

House Euchres Popular  
If the popularity of homes for Laskay W.I. euchres grows, it would seem the branch will have to "rent" its own hall to accommodate the gatherings. On January 24, 11 tables played at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Leatherdale at Strange. Prize winners were Mrs. Effie Bath, Mrs. Sally Lloyd and Mrs. Jack Smith, in that order. The men's section was won by Walter Monkman, Archie McDonald and Allan O'Brien. The next euchre will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 7.

Six tables of bridge were played at the home of Mrs. Wells McDonald by the local ladies' club on January 25. Mrs. McDonald and Miss Eva Dennis were hostesses. Mrs. Geo. Armitage was the prizewinner. Mrs. Geo. Billings was the consolation winner.

George Brown Heads Association  
At the annual meeting of Lake Marie and King Athletic Association, vice president Geo. Brown was elected to the presidency to replace Geo. Agar who resigned from the post last fall. Other officers are: first vice pres., W. E. Barker; second vice pres., Bruce Hall; directors, A. E. Kelley and Matt Bell; sec.-treas., Raymond Burt; auditors, Andrew McClure and Harry Cunningham. W. E. Barker was chairman of the elections. Mr. Agar reviewed the work of the association and the incoming president expressed his appreciation in his election, voicing his intention to further the objects of the association.

It was again decided that a car should be purchased and drawn at the annual carnival-dance sponsored by the association Wednesday, July 18, in Memorial Park. Members were urged to exceed last year's sale of car tickets to boost the Memorial Hall fund set up in the interests of a community hall project toward which a substantial amount is held in trust. The general account was in good order.

The association, operating under provincial charter issued in 1921, endeavors to promote recreation and sports. One project is the operation of the ice rink. It is brightly lit and record music is frequently provided.

For the past few weeks, the household of Mr. Harvey Folliott has been besieged by illness. Bruce Parker, a grandson, suffered virus pneumonia. Ronald and Carolyn Parker have had measles and chickenpox. Bruce has a bad case of measles. Ronald is ill with mumps and Mrs. Folliott has been ill in bed. Mrs. Ivan Folliott is taking care of the patients.

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On Shrove Tuesday, Feb. 6, All Saints W.A. will sponsor a pancake supper in the church basement at 5 p.m.

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## Industries Sought By Whitchurch

Clerk John Crawford has been instructed by the Whitchurch Township Planning Board to communicate with the Toronto municipal council regarding the possibility of interesting firms to locate new plants within the township.

The matter of bringing in new industry was brought up for discussion by Councillor E. L. McCarron at the regular meeting of Whitchurch township council on Thursday evening.

"Townships around us are getting small industries, as the large concerns are decentralizing," he stated.

Mr. McCarron stated that he believed if the industry was located in the township, much of the labor would become home owners instead of tenants. If the present set-up continued, Whitchurch would become a harbor of locusts, while surrounding municipalities where the industries were located would reap all the benefits. This would be an unbalanced condition, he declared.

"I have been given to understand that even if the township charged its full assessment and gave no special benefits to an industry, it could still operate here cheaper than in the metropolitan area," continued Councillor McCarron.

"Would the benefits of the added industrial assessment be greater than the added costs imposed by additional residents?" queried Councillor Baycroft.

"I believe that they would," replied Councillor McCarron. "Council agreed that the police committee should approach the provincial police with a view to having them handle the policing of the two township lake resorts this coming summer."

Councillor McCarron stated that it was not too early to start making some move to better the police situation, and if the provincial police would handle these two lake spots, the local constable would be free to enforce local by-laws.

"We couldn't do anything with them before," declared Councillor Legge.

However, council agreed that it was worth a try, and left it to the police committee to look into the matter and report to the next meeting on February 19.

Greyhounds can average more than 35 miles an hour for more than a quarter-mile.

"S.O.S." has no literal meaning, but was chosen as a distress signal because of its ease in transmitting. Between 1601 and 1609, 2,000 Frenchmen of noble birth fell in duels.

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Due to the extreme scarcity of jute sacks, we have increased our price on good used jutes, free of holes, to 20 cents each.

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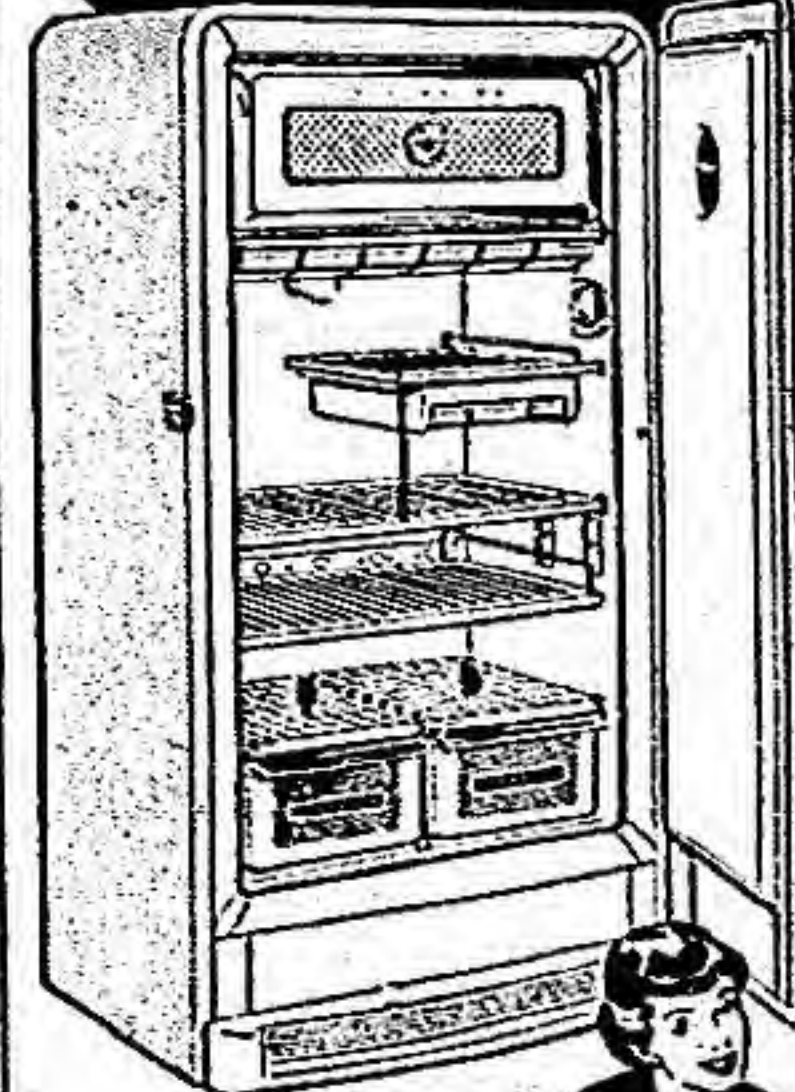
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## HOUSE FOR SALE

For sale—Modern 5-room bungalow in Newmarket. 4-piece bath, the floors in kitchen and bathroom, excellent location. Close to school and bus. For full particulars write Era and Express box 535. c1w3

For sale—4-room bungalow, insulated, picture windows, heavy duty wiring, newly decorated and painted, linoleum throughout. Lot 75 x 120; garden plot adjoining. Commuter's opportunity, 1 mile south of Keswick. Boat conveniences. Apply W. R. Richmond, Keswick. c1w4

For sale—Immediate possession. Good opportunity. Double frame house with conveniences. Half acre of land, barn and garage, at 54 and 56 Timothy St. E., Newmarket, phone 9301. c1w5

## HOUSE WANTED

Would like to purchase medium sized house in Newmarket. Preferably 6-room bungalow or 1-2 storey. Reasonably priced. Write Era and Express box 540. c1w4

Wanted to rent—House in Newmarket vicinity, conveniences. Phone 186, Newmarket. c1w5

## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR FINE HOME BUILDING SITES  
Within the Town Limits, see Millard Avenue Extension.  
Phone CROSSLAND FARMS or your local real estate broker. t143

## NEWMARKET AREA

HOUSES ARE URGENTLY REQUIRED IN NEWMARKET AREA FOR CASH BUYERS. POSSESSION AT YOUR CONVENIENCE. IF YOU ARE CONSIDERING THE SALE OF YOUR HOME, THEN CONTACT THIS OFFICE.  
A. W. EARLE, REALTOR  
5171 YONGE STREET, WILLOWDALE, ONT. c1w46

For sale—8-roomed, storey and a half house, winterized throughout, hardwood floors, hot air heat, landscaped, double garage, 1 part used as a choice workshop, lot 90' x 130'. Priced at \$10,500. Cost much more 1 year ago to build. Apply Murray Baker, 93 Andrew St., Newmarket, phone 6511. c1w5

For rent—5-room house. Apply 50 Timothy St. E., Newmarket. c1w5

## 12C GARAGE FOR RENT

For rent—Garage, year round tenants. Phone 7831, Newmarket. c1w5

## 14 ROOMS WANTED

Wanted to rent—Room suitable for music studio, with piano, by professional teacher. Phone 10413 Roche's Point. c1w5

## 15 BOARDERS WANTED

Room and board for gentleman. Apply 49 Prospect St., Newmarket, phone 246w. c1w4

## 16 APARTMENT WANTED

Wanted—Responsible couple would like apartment, four or five rooms heated. Possession March or April. Write for details to Era and Express box 542, Newmarket. c1w5

## ROOMS FOR RENT

For rent—Two or three furnished bedrooms. Grill or board considered. Apply 10 Gorham St., Newmarket. c1w5

For rent—1 or 2 furnished bedrooms, kitchenette, suitable for business girls. Phone 7881, Newmarket. c1w5

For rent—Large room, reasonable, grill privileges. Phone 1251w, Newmarket. c1w5

For rent—Furnished, heated room. Apply 55 Niagara St., Newmarket. c1w5

For rent—2 unfurnished rooms, heat, light and water supplied. In private home. Apply Era and Express box 536. c1w5

## ROOM AND BOARD

For rent—Large warm room with board. Phone 707, Newmarket. c1w5

## ARTICLES FOR SALE

For sale—Venetian blinds, aluminum or steel, made for all styles of windows. Free estimates and installations. Phone 755, apply 40 Ontario St. W., or write P.G. box 496, Newmarket. t11

For sale—Year-old rangette, excellent condition. White, chintz slip covers for couch and 2 chairs, club style. Phone 474w, Newmarket. c1w5

For sale—Lady's white figure skates, size 6-12, in good condition. Phone 5101 Mount Albert. c1w5

For sale—3 pair lady's skates, sizes 6, 7, 8, in good condition. Phone 8881, Newmarket. c1w5

For sale—White enamel coal or wood stove, reservoir on back with tap, excellent condition. Bargain. Apply Keswick P.O. c1w5

For sale—Studio couch, Simmons, wine, best quality, almost new. Reasonable. Phone 138w, Newmarket. c1w5

For sale—Solid walnut antique settee and half circle stool to match, in excellent condition. Phone 1428w, Newmarket. c1w5

For sale—5 wooden cupboards (small and large) for kitchen or basement; 2 cross-cut saws with handles; ice saw; rifle; electric fixtures for 6-roomed house; mahogany centre table (round); mahogany fern or lamp stand; black Persian lamp cap and gaiters. Apply Mrs. R. J. Neilly, 137 Temperance St., Aurora, phone 110. c1w5

For sale—Lady's Hudson seal coat, size 18, good condition. Sheepskin carriage robe, good condition. Phone 190, Newmarket. c1w5

For sale—Hotpoint electric range, 60 cycle, white and cream, high oven; kitchen cabinet. Both in good condition. Phone 157, Newmarket. c1w5

For sale—5-piece kitchenette outfit in natural finish with green leather upholstered chairs. Like new. Apply 59 Eagle St., or phone 551w, Newmarket. c1w5

## 178 MERCHANDISE

Thurs., Fri., Sat.—Last big THREE DAYS for Insley's extra pants free sale with every Bond tailored-to-measure suit. Open Friday till 9 p.m. c1w5

For sale—Hearing aid batteries for most popular makes. Stewart Beare, Radio and Appliance, 112 Main St., phone 355, Newmarket. t11

THOR WASHES & GLADIRON  
Electric 25 and 60 cycle, gas washers, repair parts and service. Stewart Beare, Radio and Appliance, 112 Main St., phone 355, Newmarket. t11

Make your appointment now for Friday and Saturday, Feb. 2 and 3, when Don Douglas, special representative of Fifth Bros. tailors, will be at Ang West's Store, Newmarket. c1w3

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For sale—1940 Nash sedan, practically new tires, good paint, A1 condition throughout. 1937 Ford 1-2 ton panel. Must be sold this weekend. Phone 5861, Aurora. c1w5

For sale—'49 Mercury 2-door sedan, green, complete with radio and heater, in good condition. Apply T. Sisman Shoe Co. Ltd., Aurora. c1w4

For sale—'34 Plymouth coupe. Phone 1066, Newmarket. c1w5

## 22 HELP WANTED

Help wanted—Single girl, 18-25 years, for bookkeeping. Apply Singer Sewing Machine Center, 102 Main St., Newmarket. c1w5

GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR RIGHT MAN  
To get established in a good business by taking over route of famous Watkins Products in Newmarket. No investment necessary. Be your own boss—enjoy a steady income. Write immediately to Dept. OC-N.E. The J. R. Watkins Company, 350 St. Roch Street, Montreal, Que. c1w5

23 WORK WANTED  
Upholstering, Chesterfield suites, chairs recovered. For samples of materials at reasonable rates, call Ken. Sargent, 85 Gorham St., phone 382, Newmarket. c1w5

Slip covers, draperies, bedspreads, etc., made-to-measure. Your own materials. Phone Mrs. Thelma Jones, Newmarket 11541, 78 Andrew St. t11

Work wanted—Available for farm work. Must be house or rooms with job. Apply Frank C. George Pegg, Sharon. c1w5

Work wanted—Experienced practical nurse desires work. Available now. Good reference. Phone Aurora 645 or apply 156 Yonge St., Aurora. c1w5

Dressmaking and alterations—Supply own materials. Phone Mrs. Grace Long, Roche's Point 915. c1w5

Work wanted—Man desires night work. Phone 1099w, Newmarket. c1w5

Transportation wanted—From Aurora to Toronto, King and Spadina Streets. Arriving at 8 a.m., leaving at 4.30. Phone Aurora 475w. c1w5

Transportation available—Arriving Toronto 8.30, leaving 5.30 Saturday leaving Toronto at noon. Phone 1247, Newmarket. c1w5

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For sale—Wheat, oats and buckwheat crop. Bulk. Cash, delivered \$60. ton. Queensville Feed Mill, phone Queensville 3000. c1w4

For sale—Brooder house, 10' x 12'; nearly new garden tractor, 1-2 horse power. Apply Tom Longhurst, Holt, or phone Mount Albert 2910. c1w5

For sale—Red cow, 4 yrs. old, fresh, 25 cord 12" rails. Apply Howard Walker, Zephyr, phone 1920, Mount Albert. c1w5

## 28 LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

For sale—2 registered Jersey cows, T.B. and blood tested, due in March. Phone Mrs. Levi Weddel, Queensville 604. c1w4

For sale—We have on hand at present 7 purebred Yorkshire pigs, born November 14, 1950, 5 boars and 2 sows. Payers can be had for these animals. Please phone Mount Albert 409. c1w5

For sale—4 registered Jersey cows, 1 fresh, 3 due in March. T.B. and blood tested Phone Allan Morning, Newmarket 297w22. c1w5

For sale—Grade Holstein heifer, 18 mos., T.B. and calfhood vaccinated, Maple Breeding. Apply Lorne Holborn, Belhaven. c1w5

For sale—10 pigs, 7 weeks old. Apply Jack McClure, Holt, phone 2915, Mount Albert. c1w5

## 28A LIVESTOCK WANTED

Wanted—Horses for milk feed. Highest prices paid. Rex Smith, Queensville, phone 1912 collect. t11

Wanted to buy—Horses for milk. Will call for with truck. Good cash prices paid. Frank Coleman, phone 10891, Newmarket, or write P.O. box 25. t11

Wanted to buy—Old horses. Dead horses and fits to use. Pay for dead stock if fit to use. Notify as soon as possible after death. L. B. Pollock, Keswick, Ont., phone Queensville 2931. t11

## IMPLEMENTS FOR SALE

For sale—35-50 White New Challenge threshing machine, 20-25 Rumely tractor, 25-40 Rumely tractor, 40-horse power Eagle tractor. All in working order. Phone 1315, Mount Albert. c1w5

## 29B POULTRY WANTED

All kinds of live hens and pullets. Will pay up to \$2 each and call at door. Phone 657, Newmarket. t11

## WOOD FOR SALE

For sale—Hardwood, body or limb wood. Apply Lloyd Grose, phone 2701, Mount Albert. c1w3

## 31 MISCELLANEOUS

THE BEST BRONCHIAL COUGH SYRUP  
For coughs, colds and bronchitis. A prompt and effective remedy for the relief of bronchitis, light or chesty coughs and colds, 50 cents. The Best Drug Store, Newmarket. c1w5

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Storm sash, combination doors, sash and frames. 10 days delivery. Phone 10213, Roche's Point. t11

For sale—Trusses, surgical supports, elastic hosiery for those who suffer from varicose veins, ankle and knee trouble. Arch supports. Lumbago belts. Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket. c1w5

All-herbal rheumatic tablets for muscular, arthritic neuritis and sciatic pains. Price \$1.00. Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket. c1w5

Eastwroughting, furnace repairs, new furnaces installed, general sheet metal work. Workmanship guaranteed. A. R. Porter, box 47, Queensville, phone 4700. c1w5

We repair all makes of sewing machines. New machines \$39.50 up. Singer Sewing Center, Newmarket, 138 Main St., phone 1075. t12

For rent—Hospital beds. Phone W. H. Theaker and Son, 3501, Mount Albert. t12

Floors sanded and finished. All floors renovated. John Davidson, Belhaven, phone 623, Sutton. c1w3

FROM FACTORY TO YOU  
BABY CHENILLE BEDSPREADS \$5.25 EACH  
Lowest price in Canada. Beautiful first quality, completely tufted, no sheeting showing. All colors, double or single bed sizes. New center patterns in flowered or solid designs. Sent COD plus postage. Immediate money-back guarantee. Order one, you will order more. NEW ADDRESS: TOWN & COUNTRY MFG., Box 1496, Place D'Armes, Montreal, Quebec. c1w5

Wanted—Rabbits, 3-12 lbs. and up, also Guinea pigs. Phone 697r, Newmarket. c1w4

Specials—Hand lotion, 70c a bottle; 2 for 80c powder pink flower talcum, cream deodorant, cream and liquid shampoo, after shaving lotion. Phone 1392 or enquire 59 Andrew St., Newmarket. c1w5

## 27 FARM ITEMS

For sale—Quantity of baled straw. Phone Mrs. Levi Weddel, Queensville 604. c1w4

Why continue to buy records when you can own a tape recorder and capture your own treasured programs. These models are suitable for schools, churches and homes. Prices are amazingly low. Please call Newmarket 6511, for free demonstration with no obligation to you. Murray Baker. Agent for Tape Records and Supplies. c1w5

HAWAIIAN GUITAR LESSONS  
Anyone interested in learning to play the Hawaiian guitar please phone 7751, Newmarket, or apply 62 Botsford St. c1w5

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May I take this opportunity to express my thanks to Dr. Macpherson, nurses and staff of York County hospital for their care and kindness extended to me. A. MacLean. c1w5

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**DEATHS**  
**Slater**—Thursday, Jan. 30, 1951, at the residence, 88 Hinks St., St. Thomas, Lieut.-Col. Byron G. Slater, husband of Mrs. Mildred B. Slater, father of Misses Mary and Rebecca and James Slater, brother of Mrs. James Lawson, W. J. R. M. and A. A. Slater, age 56 years.  
 Interment will be made at Mount Albert on Thursday.  
**Smart**—At Newmarket, on Sunday, Jan. 28, 1951, Charlotte Elizabeth Travis, wife of the late George Smart, mother of Mrs. Velma Zogala, Henry and George, Newmarket, Mrs. Gladys Moore, Collingwood.  
 Interment Newmarket cemetery on Wednesday.

## Garfield Case Addresses P. C. Annual Meeting

Speaking before an audience in his home town, Garfield Case addressed the annual meeting of the Aurora Progressive Conservative Association Tuesday night in the Legion Hall.  
 "The United States is a great nation because she opened her doors to all nationalities," said Mr. Case. "We in Canada must have unlimited immigration to populate our land and make us strong."  
 Mr. Case had high praise for "Mike Pearson whose heart and soul," he said, "were in the United Nations and what it meant to the world's future." He questioned however whether Mr. Pearson was getting the support he should from the government.  
 Telling his audience that he has returned to his first love, farming, after a career in politics, the speaker devoted a large part of his address to the problems of "the forgotten man, the farmer."  
 William Case was re-elected president of the association with the following officers on the executive, first vice pres., Jack Hudson; second vice pres., Louis Stephens; third vice pres., Alex. Bell; sec., Dan Thompson, and treas., George Stone.  
 Executive members for the five wards are as follows: ward 1, chairman, Dr. Hutchings; vice chairman, Mrs. Robt. Foote; sec., Miss Anna Smith; ward 2, chairman, Alex. McLeon; vice chairman, Howard Case; sec., Walter Bunn; ward 3, chairman, William Stephens; vice chairman, A. A. Cook; sec., Mrs. Hugh Bowman; ward 4, chairman, Mrs. L. Mitchell; vice chairman, Mrs. R. Ball; sec., Mrs. E. Phillips; ward 5, chairman, James Landen; vice chairman, Mrs. J. Fisher; sec., Eugene Rose. Honorary presidents are Chas. Malloy, A. A. Cook and Floyd Corner.

## ANNEXATION

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where a ratepayer had two children. His Whitechurch assessment is \$1,700. On the basis of the Newmarket assessments, it would be increased to \$2,300, according to the clerk. His taxes would be increased from \$50 to about \$112, he said. On the other hand the ratepayer would no longer have to pay the \$7.20 non-resident fee a month for each child attending Newmarket schools. His hydro rates would be an estimated \$44 lower a year and if his home is near a town fire hydrant, his fire insurance would be 15 to 20 cents a hundred less.  
 One resident wanted to know what the town would do about zoning. "There is no objection to commercial buildings provided they are zoned properly," he said. The chairman suggested that the town start on such a by-law which would plan for the kind of an area the ratepayers wanted.  
 Newmarket will be required to collect taxes this year on the basis of the Whitechurch assessment roll. The assessment Newmarket makes this year will determine the levy for 1952.

"I think that on the evidence submitted, it is very clear that the annexation is favorable," said L. H. Cumming, chairman of the hearing. George A. Lister was the other representative from the municipal board.

The question of farm taxes was brought up. The chairman said that the town has the power to make special concessions on the taxation of farm lands. A new subdivision in the town as a result of annexation will be the Crossland subdivision on the extension of Millard Ave.

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## Resident Membership 901 General Fund Receipts \$10,911 Reported In Trinity Annual

The 127th annual meeting of Trinity United church, Newmarket, was held January 22 with the minister, Rev. Henry Cotton, chairman. The attendance was larger than usual. A. F. Johns was appointed secretary

The report of the session was presented by the clerk, L. H. Boval. There were 19 funerals, 28 weddings and 22 baptisms during the year. Thirty members were received on profession of faith and 82 by transfer. The present resident membership is 901 which is an increase of 73 over 1949.

The report of the stewards was presented by Kenneth Flett, chairman of the board. He reported that two major projects had been successfully completed during the year. A modern parsonage has been erected on the church property and the church auditorium and entrance halls re-decorated. He also presented the treasurer's report. Total receipts for the general fund, \$10,911; expenditures, \$9,963 including \$1,500 transferred to the building fund to reduce the amount of the loan on the parsonage; leaving a balance in the bank of \$365.

J. M. Morris, treasurer of the Missionary and Maintenance fund, reported \$2,431 with other amounts still to come in. The donations to the M. and M. fund exceed last year's giving. Reporting for the Sunday-school, John Rutledge stated that the average attendance is 126 with \$880 receipts. Thirty scholars from the Sunday-school united with the church on profession of faith. Harold Tite gave an excellent report on the activities of the Busy Beavers class and Miss Jean Hunter reported on the splendid work being done in the nursery and beginners' department. Reports of the primary department were given by Miss E. Miller.

The report of the Woman's Association was presented by Mrs. J. E. Morris: receipts, \$618, most of which was devoted to purchasing furnishings for the new parsonage. A letter was read by the secretary of the meeting from the executive of the Woman's Association on behalf of the women of the congregation, by unanimous vote, wishing to express their wholehearted support and loyalty to the pastor, Mr. Cotton, for his spiritual guidance and untiring labor among the members and adherents of the church.

Mrs. J. A. Maitland presented the report of the Afternoon Auxiliary of the Woman's Missionary Society: 38 members raised \$672. Mrs. E. Walton presented the report of the Evangeline Auxiliary of the W.M.S.: 39 members raised \$673. The choir report was presented by Miss Lois Blight. There are 90 members in the senior and junior choirs. T. R. Hilliard presented the report of the 50-50 Young Adult group whose receipts were \$725.

Reporting for the boys' work, the chairman thanked those who directed this work among the Explorers; Trail Rangers and Tuxis boys. One of our boys, Donald Cook, was elected as one of the ten Trail Rangers representatives from the province to be a member of the Ontario Older Boys' Parliament. The minister thanked all who give leadership in the many organizations of the church.

The following were elected as elders: Mrs. Howard Cane, Mrs. J. E. Morris, H. Jacques, W. F. Armour, T. A. Mitchell, Ken Peckers, S. Jefferson, H. N. Graham, Earl Piper, C. F. Willis, John Rutledge, E. Morton; as stewards: D. J. Hutchings, W. Dyer, Stephen Rose, Harry Walker, Alex. Eves, Harry Boag, L. B. Rose, F. Young, K. Flett, B. Bothwell, A. F. Johns, N. Hopper. A. F. Johns was elected recording steward.

Refreshments were served by the ladies of the church and a vote of thanks was tendered to the new president of the Woman's Association, Mrs. M. B. Seldon, for arranging for them. Rev. J. A. Millar led in prayer and a successful annual meeting came to a close.

### TRINITY CHURCH, AURORA

Trinity church, Aurora, held its annual vestry meeting Monday evening. The rector, Rev. K. D. Whatmough, acted as chairman, and opened the meeting with prayer, including in the intercessions the neighboring parishes holding their annual meetings on the same evening.

R. W. Coleman was elected vestry clerk, and read the minutes of the last meeting. The

rector's report reviewed the changes in the parish list, and the statistics, showing 156 Sunday services held, 30 Baptisms, 19, confirmed, 11 marriages and 10 burials. The wardens gave their report for 1950 showing a good increase in givings, a long list of repairs made to the property, and all bills paid. The main item in their budget for 1951 was the cost of a new organ console, and the electrification of the organ action, a work now in the hands of Casavants Bros., of St. Hyacinthe. The same wardens were appointed for this year: E. J. Eveleigh and W. H. MacGillivray.

Riley Youngs and J. L. Wright were appointed delegates to synod, with S. C. Chapman and John Offord as alternates. The elected members of the advisory board are D. Kiteley, A. van Nosttrand, J. L. Wright, C. R. C. Boulding, Mrs. Lorne Lee, A. Doolittle, Riley Youngs, R. Tucker. The same auditors were elected for this year, R. W. Coleman and A. E. L. Maughan.

Mr. Kiteley was elected chairman of the sidesmen, with the following committee having power to add to their number: W. Milgate, W. Adams, C. Corbett, R. Tucker, T. Newton, G. Holland, G. Teasdale. Each of the parish organizations presented its report, and received the thanks of the congregation for their work.

The Men's club has two meetings this month. The first will be next Monday evening, at the hall. The second will be its return visit to St. Nicholas' Men's club in Birch Cliff. The choir will hold its monthly social evening after practice this Friday. The Parish Guild will serve a Board of Trade dinner on Feb. 8.

### ST. JAMES, SHARON

The Annual Vestry meeting of St. James' Anglican church was held on Friday evening, Jan. 26, at the home of Mrs. E. Kiteley. There were 21 members present and the meeting was conducted by Rev. M. C. D. Hutt, assisted by Mr. W. Peeling, student-in-charge.

The following officers have been elected: people's warden, W. R. Osler; rector's warden, L. A. Salmon; sidesmen, M. Neuroth, H. Robinson, Bruce Rogers, Art Hall and Mr. Cox; lay delegate to synod, W. R. Osler; envelope secretary, Mrs. W. Osler; auditor, Mrs. Phillips; parish council, the rector, two wardens, Pres. W.A., Supt. Sunday school, Mrs. Kiteley, Mr. Neuroth, Mrs. L. Salmon.

### CHRIST CHURCH, HOLLAND LANDING

A vestry meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Goodwin on Jan. 29 with 17 pre-Goodwin on Jan. 29 with 17 pre-Goodwin. Total receipts for church purposes amounted to \$1,335.94. Cemetery Endowment Fund \$1,693.90.

Norman Pearson was appointed rector's warden, and John Kitching elected people's warden. Other officers elected include: vestry clerk, Alma Kitching; secretary treasurer, S. R. Goodwin; envelope secretary, Mrs. James Thackham, lay delegates to the synod, Norman Pearson and John Kitching; sidesmen, Arthur Sweeney, John Meyer, Reyn Goodwin, Gordon Kitching, John Dean; auditors, Marion Pearson and Alma Kitching; organist, Mrs. S. R. Goodwin; parish hall building committee, Hazel Goodwin, Marion Pearson, Alma Kitching, Elden Goodwin, John Meyer, John Kitching, Mrs. Wm. Dean, Wm. Sweeney Jr., Gordon Kitching, Arthur Sweeney; Sunday school superintendent, S. R. Goodwin.

A vote of thanks was moved by Mr. Wm. Peeling and seconded by Norman Pearson to Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Goodwin. The meeting was then adjourned.

Next Sunday, Feb. 4, there will be a children's service at 11 a.m. in Christ church. We would like to see as many children, and parents, as possible attend this service.

### LEGION AUXILIARY APPOINTS CHAIRMEN

A meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion, Newmarket, was held in the Legion hall January 18 with a large number in attendance. Mrs. Robert Bunn opened the meeting. Following the installation of officers, which was conducted by Dr. C. E. VanderVoort, Mrs. Paul Tobey took the chair.

The following chairmen of the standing committees were appointed: euchre, Mrs. Arthur Sheridan; bazaar, Mrs. Robert Bunn; ways and means, Mrs. Donald Brown; sick and welfare, Mrs. Donald Burch; telephone, Mrs. Max Fines.

### SHOWER RECENT BRIDE

Mrs. John Carter, bride of January 22, was the recipient of many lovely gifts. She was entertained at three showers at Orillia, her home town, and one at Holt, the home of the groom.

## CREDIT TO AURORA

## Our Town Art Group Show

The cultural benefits Aurora has to offer were again in evidence Friday and Saturday when Our Town Art held its annual show in the high school auditorium.

The pictures, numbering 84, were well hung and the artistic setting created by Mrs. Carol Proctor's clever arrangements of growing plants, imaginative pieces of drift wood and marsh grasses added greatly to the atmosphere.

It would be impossible to single out any one artist as being particularly outstanding, for comparison of the work done by the group would be unfair. This is established by the fact that members exhibiting ranged from the professionally perfect pictures shown by Kenneth Ives, art master at St. Andrew's College, and Fred Hagan of the Ontario College of Art, to young Phillipa Garstang, a 13-year-old high school student. However, the same love of a chosen medium was apparent in the work of each artist.

J. B. Garstang expressed an individualism in his two pictures which gave the impression he must still be influenced by the misty atmosphere of his English background. Barbara Hayes' versatility was astonishing. Her "Aspiration, abstract No. 1" had a sense of rhythm and flow with great depth, a direct contrast to her fashion sketches. Barbara,

### DISCUSS NEW SITE FOR AURORA'S HORSE SHOW

Members of the Aurora Agricultural Society were in a pessimistic mood when the annual meeting convened Saturday. There seemed to be little hope for a new and larger location for the annual Horse Show if the society was to carry the burden of the expense alone.

Lorne Lee, representing the Board of Trade, said he thought that his organization would cooperate in the matter. Mayor Bell said that he personally thought the purchase of a new site for the show was a necessity and that he would see that the matter was brought before council.

With this expression of support from the Mayor and Mr. Lee, members were more hopeful.

The following officers were elected: Chalmers Black, president; C. A. Cathers, first vice president; Robert Hollingsworth, second vice president; E. L. Maughan, acting secretary and Sam Jarvis, chairman of the board.

### SCHOOL PROBLEM

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at its 53 cent a day cost by accurate figuring. The operating costs on schools for 1950 were taken and all the government grants, non-resident fees received and kindergarten salary and transportation were deducted to give a final operating cost of \$67,199.08. This figure was divided by 100,062.5, the aggregate pupil attendance for 1950, to give the final costs per day per pupil.

The East Gwillimbury school section will continue to pay the non-resident fees in the meantime, until something is done about the union school section. The provincial government will pay a grant of 40 percent on the costs to the section but the grants are not paid until the following year. In cases where individuals pay the non-resident fees, they will be charged the full rate less the percentage the department pays in grants to school boards. In other words, the individual who pays fees will pay about \$7.20 a month instead of approximately \$10.

The act stipulates that grants are given to the section only on the exact number of days pupils attend school. S.S. 3 only pays for the exact number of school days attended by pupils. It was pointed out by a member of the Newmarket board that although it receives a grant on the number of days all the pupils in the schools attend, its operating costs are still the same. "In other words we are losing money through truancy," the member said.

**Improved Grants**  
 A definite advantage is seen by the Newmarket board in the union school plan. The department has a ceiling on teaching costs for which it gives a grant. The 29 percent grant is arrived at by multiplying the average attendance by 75. In Newmarket's case, it is \$48,750 and if salaries increase beyond that figure, the grant is not increased. Newmarket's salaries now total \$43,753 and a raise in salaries at the end of this school year is expected to put this figure beyond the ceiling. However, if part of S.S. 3 is taken in with Newmarket, the average attendance will be raised considerably and consequently the grant ceiling will be higher.

**New Assessment**  
 To bring about union, a delegation from Newmarket of five ratepayers will have to petition the Newmarket council and a similar delegation will have to go to East Gwillimbury council. Eventually the assessors of both municipalities will have to equalize the assessment in the new area taken in. At present the area that would be united with

18, will have a difficult time choosing between the commercial possibilities of fashion design, or a career as a painter. She has talent for both.

Another member of the group, Murray Oliver, showed two facts of his particular talent, a number of oils and a series of colorful interiors, the latter proof of his ability in his chosen vocation.

Rowland Middle, whose artistic interest is not confined to painting, had one of his pictures, "Elms Across the Road," chosen as a cover cut for this year's program.

Of the five new members, G. Russell Sinclair seemed the most prolific. He has an almost photographic handling and chooses a variety of mediums depending on subject and mood. His "Soldiers'

### ENTHUSIASTIC GROUP

## Leather Work, Spinning Features At Kingcraft Guild Meeting

An enthusiastic and highly informative meeting of Kingcraft Guild was attended by 50 at the home of Mrs. Frank J. Armstrong on January 18. The program was presented by Lady Flavell who introduced the guest speakers, Mrs. B. L. Stavert, handicraft instructor at Aurora, and Mrs. Wesley Blackburn, Langstaff, a member of the Spinners and Weavers Guild of Ontario.

Mrs. Stavert spoke on leathercraft, a popular pursuit in the

### COLLIS EMPLOYEES HAVE EUCHE PARTY

A successful euchre was held in the Collis Leather auditorium, Aurora, on Friday evening. Players were Collis Leather employees and friends. Lunch was served after the games and then dancing until after midnight.

Prize winners were: ladies' high, Mrs. McFarland; second, Helen Sutton; low, Madeline McHenry; men's high, Mrs. Burling, Newmarket; second, Andy Rose; low, Joe Smith. Door prize, Mrs. Sargent. These euchre parties are held every other Friday evening at 7.45 p.m. and are non-profitable. All monies are used for prizes and food.

The Collis Leather recreation committee thank all who came and hope to see them again on February 9 for another evening's entertainment.

Newmarket has an approximate assessment of \$100,000.

When these arrangements have been made, a board of arbitrators, including the inspector, will set an award as to what percentage of the costs will be paid by the new area. Residents north of Newmarket would have a new assessment on which they would pay school tax only to Newmarket. When the proceedings take place, it is expected they will be completed for a union arrangement by the end of this school year. In the meantime, S.S. 3 trustees have agreed to pay the new fees for students now attending Newmarket schools.

### See Problem's End

The ratepayers' meeting on Monday in S.S. 3 schoolhouse had the same union school section proposal explained to them by Inspector McKillop. The schoolhouse was jammed to capacity and the meeting lasted until nearly midnight. There were one or two heated exchanges but the feeling of the meeting generally was that the problem of school costs which has plagued the section for the last 30 years or more was on its way towards solution.

There has long been conflict between the farmers to the north and the urbanized section in the south over school costs. The population growth in the south has boosted school costs, but it is the farmers in the north who have the heaviest school taxes. The issue came to a head this year when an overflow of 47 pupils from S.S. 3 were sent to Newmarket schools at the expense of the section. This cost meant an increase of close to double last year's school tax although it was pointed out by the trustees that paying school fees was cheaper than building a new wing or a new school in the section.

S.S. 3 in Favor  
 With the increase in fees in Newmarket, however, the cost was becoming prohibitive and the union school section proposal was advanced as a means of benefiting all parties. The south end of the section would be ensured schooling in Newmarket for their children, and the north end would be freed of the present heavy school costs.

There were several exchanges over whether the section would continue to pay the school fees to Newmarket and it was finally put to a vote with 31 favoring a discontinuance of the fees in March and 37 voting to continue them until the end of June. The vote, it was emphasized, was not binding upon the school trustees and was to be considered as an expression of opinion only.

Harry Markham chaired the meeting.

Tower, University of Toronto", done in sepia, has a delicate perfection which is most impressive.

J. B. Garstang, his daughter, Phillipa, Maxine Nisbet and Chas. Shearson were also newcomers exhibiting this year.

The fairly like water colors of Carol Proctor bore evidence of her love of birds and nature study.

The divergent subjects of Cosmo Lo Patriello's "Green Pastures" and "My Solitude" drew constant comment from the large audiences both nights. He is a veteran member of the art group and one of the most enthusiastic contributors to the annual show.

The two pictures by Carol Proctor and Dorothy Scanlon were won by Mrs. R. Kepke, Maple, and Mrs. Doug Fisher, Aurora.

## News of the W.I. In North York

News for this column must be in the office Monday night. Copy must be written as briefly as possible and confined to news and reports. Other than routine reports and announcements will be printed separately.

The regular meeting of Sharon branch will be held at Sharon hall on Wednesday evening, Feb. 7, instead of afternoon, at 8 o'clock. Please note change of place and time. A special program as this is the 25th anniversary of the Sharon branch.

Elmhurst Beach branch regular meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Lowndes on Wednesday, Feb. 7, at 2 p.m. Roll-call: "Who's who in Ontario". Paper on agriculture by Mrs. King and a rug demonstration by Mrs. Miller. The president would like a good turn-out at this meeting, so how about each member being in her place.

Refreshments: Mrs. Lockerbie, Mrs. C. Hodgins, Mrs. Wright.

The February meeting of Mount Albert branch will be held in the hall on Thursday, Feb. 8. Hostesses are Mrs. R. Harrison, Mrs. H. Price, Mrs. E. Harman, Mrs. G. Walsh. Roll-call: A writ-

**DR. REDDICK TO SPEAK**  
 Dr. W. A. Reddick, superintendent of the Ontario hospital, Aurora, will address the Newmarket Women's Institute on mental diseases at the regular meeting to be held in the Agricultural Board rooms, Boltsford St. on Thursday, Feb. 15, 2.30 p.m.

### FAMILY ASSEMBLES FOR 80TH BIRTHDAY

The occasion of the 80th birthday on January 26 of Mr. Wm. D. Lockie, Zephyr, brought the family together at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melville Travis, Uxbridge, R. R. 1. Present were Irene Lockie, Newburgh, Mrs. Ruth Pickering, Whitby, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lockie, Zephyr, and his seven grandchildren, and Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Travis.

Following a delicious chicken supper the many candles on the birthday cake were lit and an enjoyable time was spent in singing, games and recitations, tributes to father were read. After wishes for continued good health and many more birthdays, Mr. Lockie was presented with several fine and useful gifts.

Blessed with excellent health, he enjoys long walks and cut a share of this winter's wood. He lives on the farm which has belonged to the family for three generations.

### BINGO TO ASSIST YORK HOSPITAL AID

On Wednesday, Feb. 7, the Newmarket Veterans' Association will hold a bingo at the town hall at 8 p.m. The entire proceeds from this evening which includes good prizes will be donated to the York County Hospital Women's aid.

Since its reorganization in the spring of 1950, the aid has worked unceasingly to assist the hospital. A variety of needed equipment has been purchased for use in the hospital. The success of the aid and the extent of its ability to assist York County hospital depends on the support which it receives from individuals throughout the county.

### TO PRESENT CONCERT

The pupils of the four public elementary schools of Newmarket will present a concert at the town hall on Friday, Feb. 9, 8 p.m. under the sponsorship of the Newmarket Home and School Association. An interesting and varied program has been arranged with the children from all the schools participating.



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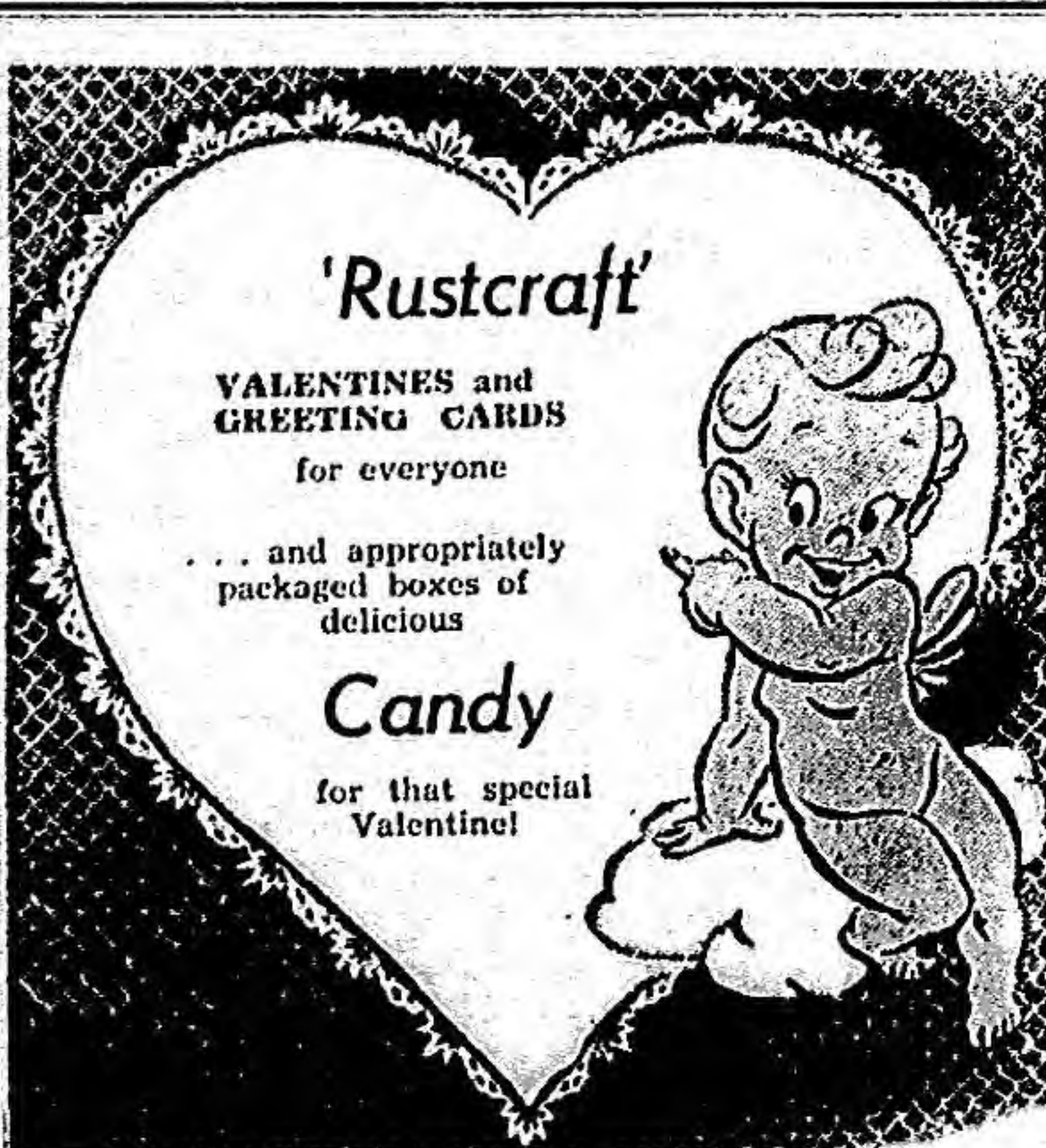
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## IT'S A Woman's World

BY CAROLINE ION

Last week we began probing the question of married women seeking employment outside their homes. We found that the pressure of circumstances sometimes compelled this action as in the case of illness or widowhood. However, these are not reasons exclusive to our times. The answer to the increase in the numbers of women who have returned to the professional and business world is a complex one.

One underlying cause is to be found in the spiralling cost of living. Each month new increases are reported in the index by the department of statistics. But no housewife needs to be told that her dollars have lost their elasticity. In July, we purchased a pound of butter for 27 cents. Next week there may be an additional mark-up.

Salaries have not kept pace with these increases. The contents of the pay envelope which may have been adequate with frugal management in 1948 are in 1951, insufficient to maintain the family's standard of living. Some families have a bank reserve and are drawing on this to help fill the widening gap between the cost of the essentials, food, shelter, clothing, etc., and the purchasing power of the pay cheque. In other families the wife has turned to gainful employment outside her home.

Women Needed  
A slightly different picture is presented by the group of women whose skills are badly needed in the community. Pressure of a different type has been used to encourage their return to their professions. Married nurses have been begged to accept duty to help ease the tremendous shortage in this field.

It is not so many years ago that it was almost unknown to have a married woman on the teaching staff of our schools. In signing her marriage certificate she automatically signed her resignation. There is a great need for more doctors, dietitians and social workers as well as nurses and teachers and married, professionally trained women are finding it difficult not to answer the call.

With the threat of a shortage of labor as industries step up production, more women will decide to become co-wage earners with their husbands. Once again, as during the past war, an army of women will be recruited to work in the factories. Not all of these will be married, but many who otherwise would remain at home with their families will attempt handling the two jobs. For the married woman without children or whose children have grown up, this will be merely a problem of overtaxing her capabilities.

Possible Results  
It is not enough in discussing the question of married women working outside their homes to outline the causes and reasons for this situation without including an estimate of the possible results. In times of low employment might the married woman become a threat to others in her ability to accept a lower wage? That is one argument constantly used by those opposed to married

women in the business and professional world. If true, our economic set-up certainly needs some drastic changes.

Anyone acquainted with Children's Aid work is well aware of the damaged lives of the children who during the war years were allowed to grow up alone. They returned from school to an empty house. The father was in the services and the mother on shift work in a war plant. How many youths appearing in the courts today got their start on the road to delinquency from such homes?

It would be absurd as well as untrue to assume that every working mother neglects her home and family. More frequently she is a more efficient organizer of her time and energies than her counterpart who remains at home. She hasn't all day to do the job. Just because she returns to work, the married woman does not cease to be an individual with her personal variations. She should be judged individually.

We all know women who spend as much time away from their families attending meetings, bridges and other social events as the women who go to business. And we know too well of women who take no part in church, community or club activities and yet whose husbands' shirts are missing buttons, socks are left undarned and whose pies would never win the grand award at the C.N.E.

Raised Eyebrows  
For years it has been an accepted practice for a wife to assist her husband in his store, for the doctor's wife to keep his books. But if she decides to go to work in someone else's office or store her neighbors raise their eyebrows. Surely after spending years receiving her education, the professionally trained woman has the right, if she desires, to continue in that profession following her marriage. Would not her contribution to the nation be greater through her doing the work she most enjoys as long as her family does not suffer? Would she not be a better mother because of her satisfaction in herself?

The trend appears to be definitely established for the return of married women in even increasing numbers to industry, business and the profession. It is a many-sided question and one which each woman must answer herself. She would be wise in considering the many disadvantages such a step will entail, but once she has decided the way should be left open to her. It is time we stopped discriminating against her as a group and left her free to seek employment restricted only by her personal limitations.

## Newmarket Social News

—Mr. and Mrs. G. Luesby and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Willis returned home last Friday from a month's visit to Tampa, Fla., for the winter. They report a wonderful time and pleasant visit with several other Newmarket people in Florida. The weather has been unseasonably cool down there so far this winter.

—Mrs. W. Dodds and Mrs. C. Atkinson, Richmond Hill, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orla Phillips last Saturday.

—Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Ritchie and daughter, June Alexis, have taken up residence at 162A Main St. Dr. Ritchie recently received his degree in surgery in the Royal College of Surgeons of Canada and is attached to the Newmarket clinic.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Murray are spending the next four months in Florida.

—Miss Barbara Pritchard spent last weekend in Toronto and attended the annual dance of St. Mildred's College on Saturday evening.

—Mr. A. J. Carson attended a convention of the Cusket Manufacturers' association which was held in Montreal from January 29 to 31 inclusive.

—Misses Bessie and Ruby Caruthers, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. W. O. Carruthers.

—Ross Burgess, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Burgess, has been a patient at York County hospital since Friday. His five-year-old sister was admitted to the hospital on Monday where they both underwent tonsilectomies the following day.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Grath and Eddie Detroit, are visiting Mrs. W. Culvert this week.

—Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Peterson, Miss Geraldine Black and Mrs. Arthur Brice motored to Wollaston, Mass., accompanying Donald Brice who entered the Eastern Nazarene college last week.

—Mrs. Bertha Pickford, Toronto, returned home on Wednesday after spending a week with

her cousin, Mrs. Wilfred Tucker.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hap Henry, Willowdale, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Wylie and Mr. and Mrs. William Reid, Toronto, were guests on Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. John Brodie.

—Mrs. Lester Davies, Aurora, is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Burgess.

—Bobbie Carson, nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Carson, underwent an appendectomy on January 16. He is convalescing at home.

—Mrs. Robert Boucher returned to Britt on Saturday after spending the past month with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown.

—Mr. and Mrs. Howard McClure, Mr. and Mrs. Rae McClure and Miss Myrna McClure, Pine Orchard, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hall.

—Mrs. C. D. Barber, Mrs. Leslie Boynton, Mrs. Robert Morrison and Mrs. Ted Mitchell attended the 21st birthday party of the Home and School federation at Ryerson Institute of Technology on Thursday, Jan. 25.

—Mr. E. Bate has moved from 66 Prospect St. to 85 Prospect St.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith and their two children, Ann Marie and Jimmie, St. Catharines, were guests of Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thorold Miller, also Seymour Harper, Mount Albert, and his daughter, Mrs. Carman Park, and her daughter, Irene, Mitchell, last Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Curtis and daughter, Jean, Kettleby, spent Sunday visiting their cousins, Mrs. W. Clarkson and G. W. Curtis, Niagara St.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH  
The annual vestry meeting of St. Paul's Anglican church, Newmarket, was held in the parish hall at 8 o'clock last Monday evening. It was preceded by a congregational supper prepared by the members of the Ladies' Aid and the Parochial Guild. Next Sunday will be Quinquag-

## York Council President Addresses H. S. Association Present Film-strip Projector

A meeting of the Newmarket Home and School Association was held at the Prince Charles school on Tuesday, Jan. 23, when a large group was present to hear Mrs. P. A. McClelland, York council president, speak on the Home and School Federation. Mrs. Howard Morton presided.

Mrs. Leonard Coupland led the group in the opening prayer which was followed by "O Canada" with Mrs. Robert Morrison at the piano.

The literature convenor, Mrs. John Swindells, had an interesting display of pamphlets and books on a wide range of subjects dealing with the care of children, home crafts and many other topics. This material is available to association members through the lending library or by direct purchase.

Next month, books from the Courtice Memorial library will be available on loan to the members. Books borrowed at one meeting are to be returned the following month. Members in-

terested in ordering any special volume are requested to contact Mrs. Swindells who has a catalogue of those carried in the travelling library.

Following a brief business session, the program convenor, Mrs. Ted Mitchell took over the meeting. Dr. Margaret Arkinstall gave a short talk on her series on home education. The topic was the child from 6 to 12. Dr. Arkinstall's talks are proving to be very popular with the parents for the valuable information which is presented in a concise and humorous manner.

The guest speaker, Mrs. McClelland, was introduced by Mrs. Mitchell. Mrs. C. D. Barber moved the vote of thanks on behalf of the group.

## Aims Of Home, School Ass'n

In speaking to the Newmarket Home and School association at the Jan. 23 meeting, Mrs. P. A. McClelland using the creed of the organization to outline the aims of Home and School. Mrs. McClelland is the president of York Council. There are 100 Home and School associations within this council with a membership of over 20,000.

Mrs. McClelland is well known in Newmarket for her many contributions to the work of Home and School and for her easy, relaxed manner of public speaking. Her most recent visit was no exception. The large group in attendance greatly enjoyed her talk.

"The Home and School association should be concerned with all problems that relate to the welfare of the child in the home, school and community," she said. "Its main objective should be to interest all people in all children, to link in common purpose the home, the school and other

educative forces in the life of the child to work for his highest good.

"It should learn first hand all school conditions and all town conditions which affect the child. It should encourage all influences and conditions which insure the growth and safety of the child. It should work actively to supply the school and community needs by creating public sentiment which will favor and provide good teachers, good school equipment and adequate recreation for leisure time. It should give service to the home by training for parenthood and homemaking and to the school by adding parent power to school power.

"It should not be the means of entertainment or charity or criticism of school authority, but a co-operative, non-partisan, non-sectarian, non-commercial effort to produce Canadian citizens who will be capable of perpetuating the best in our national life."

## The 'Forgotten Years'

Dr. Margaret Arkinstall, Home Education convenor for the Newmarket Home and School association, spoke on the child from 6 to 12 at the January 23 meeting of the group. Dr. Arkinstall said that these are often referred to as the "forgotten years".

A great deal of attention and literature has been directed to the period from 1 to 5 and the adolescent years, but the years from 6 to 12 are very important ones in the life of the child. They have a great bearing on his later life. We must try to understand him and to realize that each child is different," she said.

"However, there are marked similarities which characterize this period. One is ceaseless activity. The parent or teacher who expects a child in this age group to be quiet is inviting disappointment. We can't suppress this activity. We must direct it. We must show more flexibility at this time than we did with the younger child.

"We can reason with him and expect him to intelligently reason with us. He is capable of

understanding that certain rules must be followed. He must conform to what we require in the home, school and the community. But, let's make our rules so that we can break them with in reason. Let's be more willing to co-operate with the child. We should be ready to listen to his side of the story and to work out plans together.

"A clear distinction should be made in the mind of the child between required activities and free activities. Things he must do, duties around home, he should have these and should learn that he must carry them out himself. It is a continual process so that we must not be impatient. There is probably not more than one child in 5,000 who is born tidy.

"In the free activities he should be allowed to follow without in reason his own wishes. He needs more freedom at this age. Let's be ready to admit our faults. Let's be big enough to admit it to the child when we have been unreasonable or intolerant and beg his pardon. He'll respect us for it."

## Sale To Finance Projector

A film strip projector was presented to the public elementary schools of Newmarket by the Home and School association at its January meeting. Mrs. Howard Morton, president of the association, made the presentation to the chairman of the board of trustees, J. L. R. Bell. The projector is the association's project for this year.

In accepting the gift, Mr. Bell said that he was certain "the teachers will find it of great value in instructing the pupils and the children will benefit from it greatly." He stressed the importance of visual aids in learning. Mr. Bell congratulated the Home and School for the "great work it is doing and the assistance it is rendering to the schools in Newmarket."

gesima Sunday, or the last Sunday before Lent, which commenced this year on February 7, Ash Wednesday. The services on Ash Wednesday will be Holy Communion at 10.30 a.m. and a Lenten service at 7.30 p.m.

On Sunday, Feb. 11, Rev. N. I. Joseph will give an address at the morning service and in the evening Bishop Beverley will hold a confirmation service in the church, followed by a reception in the parish hall. The secretary of the Afternoon Branch of the W.A. is arranging the chart for the chain of prayer conducted by its members on the Woman's World Day of Prayer next week when the chain of prayer is kept

Plans for an opportunity sale to be held in the early spring have been announced by the association. The sale is being publicized at this early date so that parents when cutting over the family's used clothing may keep it in mind. Have a box in which things that the children have outgrown can be stored.

There will be a white elephant table where china, knick knacks, and such items will be offered for sale. Convening the sale are Mrs. Stewart Beare and Mrs. Robert Morrison.

Money raised through the opportunity sale will be used in this year's purchase of the film strip projector and film strips, the gift of the association to the public elementary schools.

CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY  
Mr. and Mrs. Win. Palmer celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary on Friday, Jan. 26. About 35 friends and relatives gathered and presented the happy couple with a hall table, occasional chair, chenille bedspread, china cup and saucer and a bouquet of flowers. A delicious lunch was served.

intact from early morning, in 15-minute periods until the service at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The service this year will be held at 3 p.m. in the Free Methodist church, Millard Ave.

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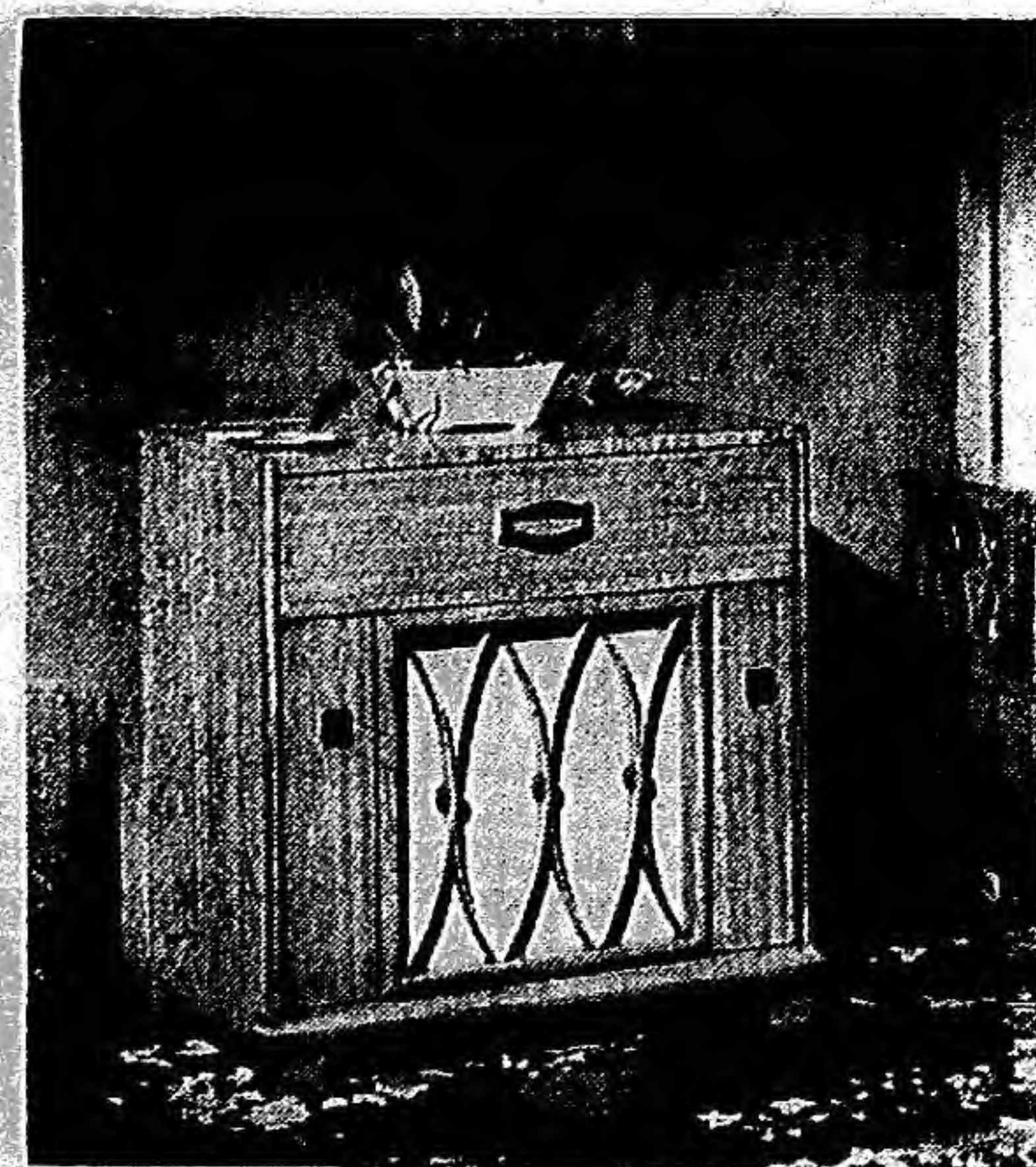
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## The Common Round...

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### WHO IS MY NEIGHBOR?

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In these days when space is being eliminated, the nations are acting the story of the Good Samaritan. Some nations are being crushed, over run and beaten by the equivalent of the thieves in the Bible story. Not long ago other nations, like priests and Levites, would have passed by on the other side. Now the United Nations are trying to enact the part of the Good Samaritan. They are trying to prove that all peoples are neighbors.

It seems strange then, that we sometimes think, in our race to keep up with various obligations, activities and pleasures that we are losing something of the neighborly spirit. Well, here is one person—one who will never doubt it again! And here's my reason.

On the morning of Tuesday, Jan. 23, after having looked at the fires some 20 times, counted and fed the cats and told them to keep house, I was ready at 20 minutes to nine to go with Mrs. Walton to the bus which would take us to St. James' Bond church in Toronto to a missionary meeting.

Off I went in happy ignorance of the future my absence would create. Conceit isn't one of my all too many failings, so I never dreamed anyone would worry about me.

The tale runs something like the house that Jack built. It seems that in the morning, Mrs. Gordon McClure tried to get me by phone and kept on trying. Naturally, she couldn't get me, so she telephoned Mrs. Hawtin who also tried, with no better success. In the meantime, Mrs. Douglas McClure wanted to speak to me, so the telephone came into use again. Result: negative.

So she too, consulted Mrs. Hawtin. By this time Mrs. Hawtin decided to take matters into her own hands and made a trip over, trying the front door and the back door. Finding everything locked, she concluded I was away and feeling relieved, went home. Meantime, Mr. and Mrs. D. McClure were just deciding that one of them must drive up and look into the matter when Mrs. Hawtin began her charitable work of letting the neighbors know that I was away. And another neighbor, Mr. Smith, asked Archie if anything was wrong at our house for, said he, my wife said our phone rang incessantly all Tuesday.

All this brought to my mind the fact that when Archie was in Sunnybrook hospital two years ago, the late Mrs. Geo. Hunt called me at 9 a.m. every morning to see how I'd spent the night and if I were all right. Adding all these kindnesses up, the total spells neighbor!

No one can realize how touched and humble and grateful I feel to those who were not sat-

### WIN FIRST PRIZE

Ross Lee, Donald Langford and Rodney West, playing as a trumpet trio, won first prize at an amateur contest in Richmond Hill last Wednesday. The boys are members of the Newmarket Citizens Band. They competed against more than 30 contestants.

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### CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

A happy event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ash, Friday, Jan. 26, when about 25 of their immediate friends and relatives met to surprise them on the eve of their 25th wedding anniversary. After games and sing-songs the happy couple was presented with a silver tea service and tray and a chest of silver. A dainty lunch was enjoyed by all.

### THE HOMEMAKERS

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Many homemakers today do not have the time nor the cooking facilities to prepare a pot of good old-fashioned soup and they naturally turn to canned soups. A tasty bowl of canned soup may be served by preparing it as directed on the can or by combining two soups, or even by adding a pinch of herbs or spices such as cloves, curry powder, celery seed, bay leaf, thyme or garlic, depending upon the kind of soup and the family's taste.

A few of the soups which seem to combine well are cream of chicken with cream of celery, mushroom or green pea; cream of tomato with cream of mushroom; cream of celery with cream of asparagus; chicken soup with cream of tomato or vegetable soup. By the way, cream soups are an excellent way to get non-milk drinkers to take milk.

A canned soup such as asparagus, tomato, mushroom, celery or chicken lends itself to being used as a quick sauce or gravy. For either purpose the soup may be used just as it comes from the can or diluted with liquid, depending upon the thickness desired. When used as a binder for meat loaves or in souffles or casseroles the soup is generally left undiluted but for creamed chicken and vegetables some liquid is added to make it the consistency of a medium cream sauce.

By adding an ingredient or two to a canned cream soup, for example, grated cheese to mushroom soup, and then heating it you have an appetizing rarebit. Condensed vegetable soup may be added to meat pies and stews in place of vegetables and left-over dishes can often be made do by adding condensed soup.

## BIRTHDAY CLUB

Birthday wishes are extended this week to:

Kay Fathleen Fairbairn, Newmarket, five years old on Friday, Jan. 26.  
Ronald Rae, Virginia, seven years old on Friday, Jan. 26.  
Lorna Mary West, Holland Landing, six years old on Friday, Jan. 26.  
Maureen West, Newmarket, 13 years old on Friday, Jan. 26.  
Richard Whittaker, R. R. 3, Newmarket, 11 years old on Friday, Jan. 26.  
Earl Smith, Newmarket, nine years old on Friday, Jan. 26.  
Murray Rainsford Moffat, Arnprior, 14 years old on Tuesday, Jan. 30.  
June Gilpin, Newmarket, 14 years old on Wednesday, Jan. 31.  
Robert Le Gresley, Newmarket, three years old on Wednesday, Jan. 31.  
Donna Isabel Barker, Newmarket, three years old on Wednesday, Jan. 31.  
Evelyn Allen, R. R. 1, Mount Albert, ten years old on Thursday, Feb. 1.

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YOUNG HOPEFULS BY DOROTHY MUIR BOWMAN

## Billy, At 8, A Toy Collector

Billy, eight years old, has been making a collection of other children's discarded toys. Scarcely a week goes by but Billy brings home some old toy that another child has given him. He just stacks them in piles around his room and seemingly forgets to play with them. When questioned, he just says they need painting and he will paint them some day.

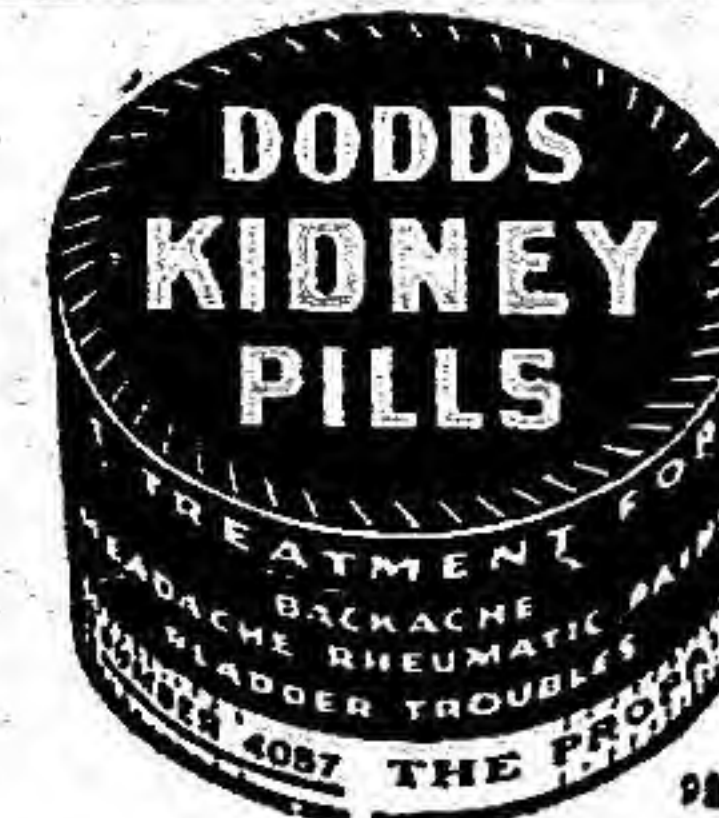
Fortunately, the toys are small ones so the collection doesn't occupy much space. However, it is a nuisance—a growing one—on cleaning days. The collection is doomed to boxes unless Billy shows enough interest in the toys to, at least, play with them. He seems to like them in plain sight so that he can gloat over them. There is no doubt about it—Billy has an obsession for collecting discarded small toys. Where-as he used to get them "free", now he is willing to spend his great allowance on them.

It's quite possible that Billy might be prompted into action regarding painting the toys and displaying them on the shelves that are his room. Then, too, there is the thought that the original owners might buy them back after they were reconditioned. Though it isn't likely that Billy could be lured to part with his collection for a price, unless he could use the money for further purchases.

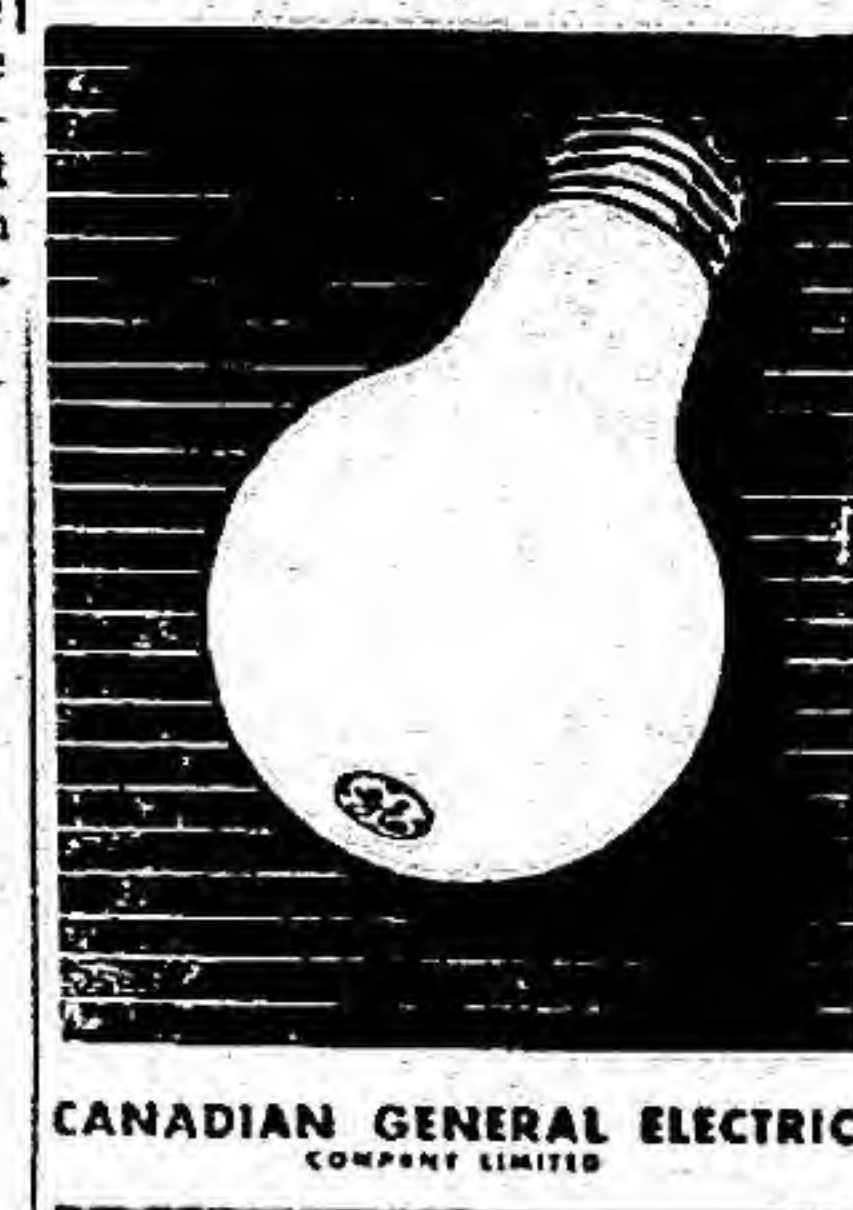
So often, collections are just the passing fancy during a stage in the development of a child. Nevertheless, frequently, the fancies do mature into a lifetime interest, not so far removed from the original fancy. In any event, when Billy is interested enough to prefer spending his own allowance to add to his collection of old discarded toys, he is in earnest and might even be inclined to clean his own room to avoid disturbance of his prized possessions.

### W.C.T.U. MEET

The regular meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held at the home of Mrs. J. A. Maitland, 69 Botsford St., on Tuesday, Feb. 6, at 3 p.m. Collection will be taken for World and Canadian Missions.



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Mr. and Mrs. E. Green and Mr. and Mrs. S. Armstrong visited Mr. and Mrs. T. Johnston at Willowdale on Sunday.  
An interesting missionary meeting was held at Mrs. W. King's home last Wednesday night when 18 ladies attended. Mrs. H. Wilkinson, Mrs. A. Wellman and Mrs. C. Hodson were in charge of the study book.  
Miss Ida Bertolin underwent a tonsil operation on Monday. We wish Ida a speedy recovery.  
Many from the community enjoyed the carnival at Queensville rink on Monday night.

**MOUNT ZION**  
A number from here attended the community night at Queensville arena Monday, Jan. 29. Plans for free dental care for the pupils of Mount Zion school have been completed.  
Master Percy Matthews is able to get around although his foot is still in a cast.  
Services next Sunday are Sunday-school at 10 and church service at 11 a.m.  
Planet means wanderer. The world's oldest town, Cadiz, Spain, has maintained its identity and name for about 3,000 years.

## Queensville News

Mrs. C. Doane had the misfortune to slip on the ice and break her arm. She is convalescing at her home.  
Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Aylward on the birth of their son, James Frederick, a brother for Susan.  
Mrs. Rex Smith entertained Mrs. J. B. Smith, Mrs. J. L. Smith, Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. Moore of Newmarket at a grandmothers' dinner on Saturday.  
Union Street and Hillside schools enjoyed a skating party at the arena Friday afternoon.  
Mrs. J. Ardill, Toronto, visited Mrs. J. T. Cowieson on Saturday.  
Mr. Leonard Wellman attended the funeral of his uncle, Mr. Geo. Wellman, who was in his 93rd year, at London on Saturday.  
Mr. Wesley Baker received the sad news of his mother's death, and also the serious illness of his father in Owen Sound, on Sunday.  
Mrs. J. B. Smith left on Sunday to spend the rest of the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miles, of Islington.  
Mrs. Frank Milne has returned from Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hodgins of Toronto, are visiting Mrs. Milne for several days.  
An executive meeting of the Evening Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. Angus Smith on Wednesday evening to plan for future meetings.  
Mrs. J. B. Aylward is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Aylward and family in Toronto.  
The National Film Board is again showing films at Hillside school on Tuesday night, Feb. 6 at 8 p.m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.  
The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary L. Boag, a former resident, was held on Monday, Jan. 29, from the Strasser funeral home. Mrs. Boag, who was in her 93rd year, had lived in Toronto in recent years.  
Mr. John Andrews, Newmarket, has been with his brother, Mr. Wm. Andrews, who is convalescing from mumps. This winter mumps has been no respecter of age. Mr. Andrews seems to be the oldest victim, and little Catherine Dew, the youngest.  
Mrs. Frank Ostley is improving very nicely since her recent illness, and is now able to go out for a short time.  
Mr. Jack Smith, who is taking a 3 months' Garage Course in mechanics, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Smith.  
Mrs. Allan Cowieson of Toronto spent the week with Mrs. J. T. Cowieson, who is still seriously ill. Mr. Allan Cowieson, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cowieson of Toronto, also visited their mother.  
Mrs. Jean Rolston, who is in her nineties, fell and broke her hip. Mrs. Rolston is now in York County hospital. For her we wish a complete recovery.  
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Saeger and family of Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Alleyne of Toronto, all spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Alleyne.  
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Greig and family of Lansing visited Mrs. Helen Greig on Sunday.  
Sunday guests of Mrs. S. Bennett were Mr. and Mrs. S. Brucis of Sutton.  
Miss Jean Cunningham of Bowmanville spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cunningham.  
The meeting of the W.A. has been changed from Tuesday, Feb. 6, to Thursday, Feb. 8. The hostesses for this meeting are Mrs. E. V. Warren, Mrs. Harry Smith, Mrs. Wm. Smith, Dr. M. Arkinstall and Mrs. Terry Doane. Please note change of date.  
The Temperance Federation convention which is to be held in Queensville United church has been changed from Feb. 9 to Feb. 23.  
The Y.P.U. of the United church has begun another year, with the new president, Miss Mary Arkinstall. At the first meeting following the installation of officers, Mrs. S. Thompson spoke on "Citizenship". Then last Sunday night, Miss Hilda Andrews gave the topic.  
Mrs. Jim Leggett of Toronto spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. Harry Tombs.  
Miss Shirley Wright of Aurora visited her grandmother, Mrs. Sheridan, for the weekend.  
Plan to attend the Valentine fancy dress ice carnival at Queensville arena on Feb. 14. It is expected there will be a display of figure skating. Watch for more details later.  
Mrs. Duncan Crawford, Baldwin, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Win. Clark.  
Blue Cross hospitalization fees are again due. Will all subscribers through the Institute please pay their fees to Mrs. A. J. Milne before February 15?  
Carnival at Rink  
The carnival held at the arena on Monday night, Jan. 29, under the auspices of the park board, was successful. A large crowd attended and many came in costume. Mrs. Lloyd Pollock, Mrs. W. L. Carruthers and Mr. W. Tate were judges. The following prizes were awarded:  
Best dressed lady on skates, Miss Marion Eves; best dressed gent on skates, Mr. Donald Pinder; best comic couple, Mr. Doug Mount, Sharon, Mr. Raymond Crouch, and Mr. Ken Groves, Newmarket; best dressed girl, nine or under, Miss Wanda Mel-

### HOLLAND LANDING

An open night will be held in Holland Landing school on February 7. All parents are cordially invited to attend and see the improvements to the school. Bring any questions for discussion that you may have. Here is the chance to meet the teachers and discuss your child's progress. All adults welcome. Parents with beginners for September are asked to please enrol them this night. Open 8 p.m. Lunch served.  
Mr. Aubrey Stephenson is still in York County hospital. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.  
Mrs. Dutton and Mrs. Pearce are under the doctor's care, also Mrs. John Thompson.  
The chicken pox is going its rounds among children.  
The annual meeting of the United church was well attended on Thursday evening. The reports from the church treasurer, the Women's Association and Sunday-school all showed a satisfactory balance.  
Mr. and Mrs. P. Jaques are spending a few weeks with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Mitchell, at Wallenstein.

### ZEPHYR

Mrs. R. Cronsberry moved into her new home last week. We welcome Mrs. Cronsberry back to Zephyr and hope she may live long to enjoy her new home.  
Mrs. Fisted and children are spending some time in Toronto.  
The annual meeting of the Zephyr United church was held on Monday evening. A pot luck supper was served before the reports were read and general business was transacted.  
The reports showed a prosperous year financially. The W.A. raised over \$1,100. The W.M.S. also met its allocation, which was \$275.  
The W.M.S. meeting of Zephyr United church was held in the Sunday-school room on Wednesday afternoon. A large collection of used clothing was brought to the meeting. This will be given to the Overseas Clothing Relief collection and sent to Europe or Korea.  
The teen-agers held a dance in the community hall on Friday evening. Shirley Pickering held the lucky ticket for the box of chocolates. The proceeds of the evening were used to buy hockey sticks and equipment for the junior Zephyr hockey team.

### SHARON

The World Day of Prayer service will be held at St. James' Anglican church this year at 2:30 p.m. on February 9. Queensville, Hope and Sharon women are all invited to attend this service.  
On Ash Wednesday, Feb. 7, at 11:30 a.m. there will be a celebration of Holy Communion in St. James' church.  
Mrs. Barton Ward, Keswick, spent a couple of days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Hall, and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Meyer, Holland Landings, were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Newroth.  
Mrs. Fred Hall, Mr. Arthur Hall and Miss Patsy were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wood, Whitby, and attended Whitby United church where Janis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wood, was christened.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Deavitt are celebrating their 52nd wedding anniversary today.

### ARMITAGE

The Armitage community club held its regular monthly meeting in the school on Friday, Jan. 26. It was well attended. The program consisted of films shown by Mr. DeWitt of the National Film Board, songs by Dr. C. S. Gilbert and several numbers on the piano by Mr. N. W. Hurrell, which were thoroughly enjoyed by everyone.  
Several cases of the 'flu are reported in this community and our best wishes are for their speedy recovery.  
Remember the dance on Friday, Feb. 9, at the Blue Bird Inn under the auspices of the Armitage community club.

### PINE ORCHARD

The Pine Orchard Junior Homemakers held their first meeting of the new unit, "The Milky Way", on January 23 at the home of Mrs. Harry Brammer. Officers were elected with Helen Millard president, Sarah Kozlakowski, secretary, and Beth Johnston, press agent. An outline of the work was discussed and this unit promises to be interesting.  
This week's meeting was held on January 30 at the home of Sarah Kozlakowski.  
Willing Workers of Union church will meet at the home of Mrs. Elmer Starr on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 7, at 2:30 o'clock. We are expecting Mrs. E. C. Moddle, Aurora, to be our guest speaker. Roll-call verses one and two of 91st Psalm by memory. Hostesses: Mrs. Elmer Starr and Mrs. Harold Ghent. A good attendance is requested to make plans for the year's work.  
Our community was well represented at the annual meeting of the York County Hog Producers in Newmarket on January 25.  
Mr. and Mrs. Howard McClure, Mr. and Mrs. Rae McClure and Myrna were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hall, Newmarket.  
The croquignole party announced for February 9 has had to be cancelled owing to previously planned meetings. The draw will take place at the regular Institute meeting at Mrs. Ed Johnston's home on Wednesday, Feb. 14. Plan to attend this meeting as there is important business to discuss. Meeting in charge of education and citizenship committee.

Zephyr and Georgina Island, the two league leaders, were undefeated and Zephyr defeated the Islanders 7-5 in a rough game.

### WILLOW BEACH

Miss Willa Crittenden has returned home after spending three months visiting Miss Betty McGillivray in Glace Bay, N.S.  
Mrs. Howard Matt and Mrs. Lorne O'Dell spent last Monday in Toronto.  
Mrs. Bill Thompson and the girls have returned home from a month's visit in Montreal at the home of Mrs. Thompson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. McTaggart.  
Mr. and Mrs. Murray Sinclair and the children of Toronto were home for the weekend.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mahoney and little son, Larry, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold McNeil in Toronto last Wednesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Huntley spent last Monday in Toronto.  
We are proud of the Base Line school hockey team as it has been winning quite a few of its hockey games under the coaching of Lorne O'Dell. Last Saturday it played a good game, beating Roche's Point 3-1.  
Plans are being made by the mothers of the Base Line school to hold a euchre to raise money to buy sweaters for the team.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ace Chapman visited Mr. Chapman's mother, Mrs. V. Chapman, in Islington last Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lorne O'Dell spent last Sunday as the guests of Mrs. Kay McNeil in Toronto.

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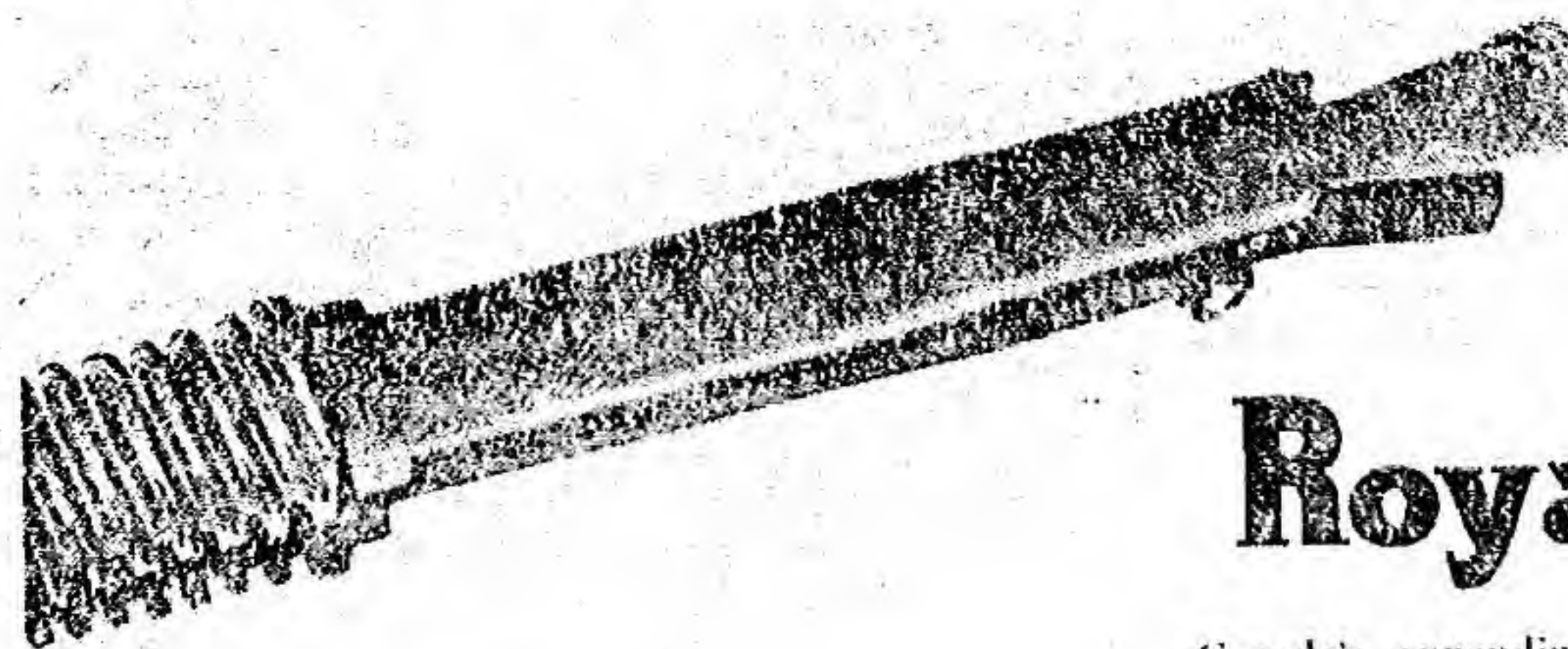
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### Vandorf Leads Series With 9-4 Win Over Q'ville

Packing a four-goal wallop into a first period drive, Vandorf gained a 9-4 win over Queensville Tuesday in Queensville arena. It was the series opener with the Lake Simcoe hockey crown the stake. The win opened up a one-game gap for Vandorf in the six-game final, points to count, series.

Bill Kingdon rolled up a five-point total, three goals and two assists, for Vandorf. Bob Staley and Jim Preston had two each. Clem Ellis and Normie Nigh were one-goal men.

Allan Lockie outplayed his Queensville mates for two last period tallies to pace their attack. Bun Hood and Jim Stevenson were on target for single goals. Excitement popped in the third as Allan Lockie and Jim Preston sparred, earning five-minute halts with the penalty timer. Second game of the series goes Friday in Queensville rink.

### Haskett's HASH

BY GEORGE HASKETT  
Newmarket Sports Editor

Might as well shut our big trap. We shout for on time starts and what happens—nobody reads our mail. Midland comes in late and Thursday game starts 9.10. Strictly fault of the visitors and the Spits were on and ready to go.

Andy Closs, bossman of Aurora D's, said they didn't start until 9.25. Game was scheduled for 9 chimes. Both cases, we hope, are popped right in the O.H.A. lap. Need just a couple of \$25 fines. Try and collect 'em, you say? Easy. Teams don't play until they pay—that would put the stopper on teams woe-ying in around 20-30 minutes late.

Merry go round broke down. Fact is it's been breaking down all too frequently lately. Our Spits, since getting back to near full strength aren't setting the world on fire. Back-checkers on strike last Thursday. Left entirely too much on Joe Tunney's door step. Spits blew a chance to pick up two points. This is, by the way, very important week for the Mollmyns. Do a home and home shuffle with Eddie Bush's Collingwood "Shipbuilders". If our records are up to snuff, two teams open the week all even for fourth place. Spits have been slipping by Collingwood on the gallop. Unless Coach Molyneux reads the riot act you can draw your own conclusions. But don't take our word for it—see for yourself—Remember what happened last time two teams squared off? A regular donnybrook.

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### Beaverton Fails To Show Keswick Up On Finals

Keswick's rural hockeyists and a goodly number of their supporters were left in the lurch Tuesday evening. Beaverton was scheduled to drop in for the curtain raiser in Tri-County rural semi-finals. The visitors failed to show. Keswick picked up an easy victory and a one-game edge in the best of three semi-final set. Return match is scheduled for Friday at Beaverton, but it was hinted the latter may be packing its hockey duffel for the season.

Winner of the Keswick-Beaverton saw-downs meets the survivors of Sutton-Woodville bracket for the west group championship of Tri-County rural loop. Woodville uncorked a surprise for Sutton arena Tuesday, flooring the Greenshirts 7-4.

### Collis Shuts Out Diggers Diggers Ground Flyers

Like that old hit paraders of last season, "My Dreams are Getting Better all the Time", so is the action in the Aurora town league. Collis Leather, still simmering from an early season 8-0 pasting from the Ditch Diggers, came out last week seeing red and gave the Diggers a handful of knuckles and 310 whitewashing.

Ray White from Art White in the first period started the Tanagers away. Lorne Fleury with Bill Kirbyson and Walt Davis unassisted in the last period covered the Tannery scoring.

Ron Brown turned thumbs down on every attempt of the Shovelers to crack his iron curtain in the Tannery cage. It was pip of a game all the way. The win increased the Collis lead to a full five points.

Comes Monday and the Ditch Diggers, rested up from the weekend, hopped back on the victory train at the expense of the Victory "Flyers", 6-4.

Three chappies shared the scoring shenanigans for the winners, Doug Miller, Harold Stephenson and Mickey Sutton with a pair each. For the Flyers, Clem Ellis had two, Dave Richardson and Bill Bennett singletons. It was another hot-shot game. More fans ought to get down and see the teams tear into it.

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**'Twas Close Shave, Says Gib  
They Really Had Us In Bond**

Aurora "Indians" had a big scare Friday from, of all people, Navy club, tail-enders in the Trolley League. The Indians played at Keswick, home ice of the Navy club, and had to work hard against a terrific checking display by the Navy to eke out a 2-1 victory.

Coach Harvey Gibney of the Indians said "The Navy checked us at every turn. They were on our front liners like leeches. So help me, we couldn't make a move without a sailor being in our hip pockets. Our passing plays were broken up before they got started with this check, check, check business."

Coach Gibney, still on the subject, "We come out of that first period with a 1-0 lead. Bill Patrick was the marksman, defenseman Don Campbell setting up the play. Navy checked us dizzy and got in lick of their own for the lone goal of the second to tie the game at one-all.

"Comes the third, my high scoring line bottled up like bonded stuff, sees a chink in Navy checking, sticks its toe in the door and snares the winning goal. Jack Rummy does the actual dropping of the biscuit in the Navy cage. Ex-Midlanders Jimmy "Flash" O'Hearn and the skate, skate, skate lad, Harry

Morrison, getting in on the start-ing end of the three-way relay." Indians miss a home game this week in Trolley League competition but trek to Woodbridge Thursday for a road game. Wheelers are pressing and we must take care of Chas. Rowntree's Woodbridgers, continues coach Gibney.

Thank you, sir, for covering that game and see you do—beat Woodbridge, that is.

## FIVE-GAME ATTRACTION

Along with the regular three N.H.L. games at the arena Friday night, Sutton bantams and the midjet edition of the Greenshirts will be on hand to take on their local counter-parts. Bantam game at 8, midjet at 9 chimes. N.H.L. games open at 6.

## AURORA D'S SIXTH WIN

Late third period goals by Walt Fines and Grant Winters enabled Aurora junior D's to bring home a 4-2 win over Millbrook Tuesday. It was the Closs sixth win against one loss. Grant Edwards' first period marker with Stew Wilson the work-horse plus and early third period scoring effort by Andy Closs Jr. gave Aurora a 2-0 advantage in the opening minutes of the finale.

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## SPORTS CALENDAR

**FEBRUARY 1 - FEBRUARY 7**  
Feb. 1, Big Seven Sr., Collingwood at Newmarket; Trolley League, Aurora Indians at Woodbridge; Junior D. 9 p.m. Millbrook vs Aurora; Minor, 7 p.m. Aurora arena, Newmarket vs Aurora Bantams; Town League, 6 p.m. Aurora arena, Collis Leather vs Merchants; Queensville, Vandonr vs Queensville.  
Feb. 2, Minor, N.H.L. triple-header, two O.M.H.A. games at Newmarket; Nobleton, King-Vaughan double-header; Junior B, Big Six, Aurora Bears at Weston "Dukes"; Bradford, South Simcoe Rural.  
Feb. 5, Aurora Town League, 6 p.m. Merchants vs Ditch Diggers; Newmarket Town League, Semi-finals 7 p.m.  
Feb. 6, Junior B, Owen Sound vs Newmarket Rockets; Trolley League, Winged Wheelers at Aurora; Juvenile, 7 p.m., Unionville vs Newmarket "Imps"; O. M. H. A. playdowns, Bantam 6 p.m., Newmarket vs Aurora (Aurora arena); Queensville, third game Simcoe play-offs, Queensville vs Vandonr.  
Feb. 7, Junior B, Newmarket Rockets at Collingwood.

**Town Semis Start Mon.  
Eves Sets Local Record**

This is the final turbulent week of the regular season in the Newmarket town league. Semi-finals open next Monday. Last Monday, Specialty bopped off Davis 3-1 in the early game and Hoffman used a last five minute drive to gain a 5-3 verdict over the Town Merchies.

In the opener, Specialty nailed down the win via Albert Evans' first period goal and a pair of last period counters fired by Johnny Sheddwick and Barney Pearson. Harvey Heacock, Barney Pearson and "Dutch" Crowder got assists. Tannery marker came at the three quarter pole of the third after Dick Waller's Specialty side built up a 2-0 edge. Stan Pollard scored, assisted by Bohmer Groves. Reg "Zero" Baker and Tod "Broda" Mosier up with neat blocking efforts.

In the nightcap Hoffman got in an early 3-0 lead. Harry Caradonna scooted around like a six day bike rider for two. Shorty Greenwood for the third. Then Ron Eves lowered his sights and chucked in three quickies in a matter of 52 seconds, two unassisted, one with help from playing coach Bob McCabe.

Town kept on the pressure but Handy Andy Andrews did a Horatio at the Bridge in the Hoffman net. Harry Caradonna cracked the three all tie on a breakaway for his third goal of the night. "Shorty" Greenwood applied the knock out blow in the last minute.

**AURORA MIDGETS WIN**  
Aurora Midgets came up with a 3-1 win over Port Perry Thursday in Aurora arena. It was win three for Bill Mundell's hopefuls and moved them into first place in the group standing.

**AURORA BANTAMS WIN TWO**  
Aurora bantams were double winners over the past week in the O.M.H.A. scraps. Victim in both cases was Ajax. At Whitby, home ice for Ajax, Aurora nosed out a 2-1 win on goals by Ross Patrick and Murray Chapman. Sparked by a five-goal performance by Jim Preston, Aurora had little trouble disposing of the Ajax threat Thursday on their home ice winning 7-2.

**OPTIMISTS WIN SIXTH**  
The Newmarket Optimist bantams won their sixth straight Friday against Bill Mundell's Aurora bantams 2-1. The Cain brothers, Jack and Bill, made it a family affair in a scoring way for the Optimists. Jack was Johnny-on-the-spot to shoot in a first period tally with brother Bill assisting. It was turn-about as Bill clicked for the winner after Jack had put the biscuit on his stick in scoring position.

**TO MEET BRAMPTON**  
The O.M.H.A. announcement early this week advised Newmarket Imperial Juveniles that Brampton would be their first round opposition. The home and home goals to count, series must be completed by Feb. 10. Carl Gabel and Gordon Stephenson are completing the arrangements this week for the series with Brampton.

**PLAY AT ARMORIES**  
The cadet band of Aurora high school played at Fort York Armories last night.

**On the alleys**  
Legion pace-setters in Town league with 44. Hot race for runner-up, four tied, Combines, Specialty, Itisey's and Metal Workers all with 36. Meteors 34, Denne's 33, Clover Kickers 32, also rans Instey's 25, Dixon's 18, Turkey Catchers 16, tail-enders Newmarket Dairy 14. Four bowlers in charmed 700 circle last week. Top man John Hisey 779 (281-280-218), second Jack Watson 778 (232, 305, 241), Eddie Gibson 743, Doug Beckett 720. Other fine scores Doug Mount 697, Harold Craddock 697, Cyril Keats 685, John Sheddwick 675, Perc. Pemberton 671.

Edith Hall was the pace-setter with Thursday night girls with 634 (187-200-187). Other top night scores posted by Betty VanZant 598, Myrt. Dunn 598, Helen Coveney 574, Olive Hughton 520, Hazel Bennett 510, Marie McCabe 515, Ruth Penrose 500.

**BEARS NEED 2  
WINS TO MAKE  
BIG SIX SEMIS**

Aurora "Bears" let possibly their last remaining hope of sharing a place in the play-off sun in the Big Six slip from their grasp Friday when they dropped a heart-breaker 7-6 to St. Mike's Buzzers in Aurora arena.

The Bears needed this one. Now they're faced with the giant-killing role of measuring Weston Dukes, group leaders, for a pair of losses if they are to get a hold on fourth place.

St. Mike's came out of the first period 3-0 leaders. Aurora put on a determined rally, second period goals by Laurie Thoms, Bill Smith, Grant Firth and Ed Williams erasing St. Mike's early lead.

The teams traded tallies in the early minutes of the third. Laurie Thoms cut in sharply on the St. Mike's net-minder for the Bears' counter. That kept Aurora's one goal margin intact at 5-4. Then the deluge. St. Mike's in a matter of just under two minutes rammed three behind Ken Tupling and the damage was done. The visitors had an 8-6 advantage. Aurora raced the clock to get the equalizer. Laurie Thoms picked up his third with Ron O'Hearn at 18:48 but the tying counter eluded the Bears' dying efforts.

The teams had a rugged time of it. Fifteen penalties were called including three ten-minute misconduct stretches, one to Ed Williams, and two to Ed Platta of the visitors. Platta stepped out of the cooler in the third to rifle in a goal to give St. Mike's a tie and topped it off by engineering the play that enabled McCarty to tip the scales in the Collegians' favor.

**Schomberg Juveniles  
Lose Play-Off Opener**  
The Schomberg juveniles opened their round-robin series designed to produce a group winner between Bolton, Tottenham, Beeton and Schomberg on Monday. Schomberg couldn't get untracked against the unbeaten Beeton squad and took a 9-1 whumping. Howard Archibald broke through for the lone Schomberg tally.

In the round robin series, by the way each team will play home and home with the others in the group, the two with top rating meet for the group title. Last Thursday Doug Marchant's charges completed group play by absorbing a 6-2 trimming from Alliston. Howard Archibald and Murray Edwards got the Schomberg markers.

Schomberg bantams chomping at the bit for O.M.H.A. action are going to have their wish. They've been drawn against Grand Valley in round one. The two teams spring to action stations tonight in the Beeton arena in first game of their series. Winners of the best in two home and home go against survivors of Nobleton-Holton bantam feud.

Doug Marchant is coach and Elgin Hastings manager of Schomberg's youngest hockey machine. Schomberg has a D rating in the O.M.H.A. playdowns.

**ACCEPTS POSITION**  
Mr. Grenville B. Thompson, formerly of the Shell Oil Co. Ltd. at Newmarket, and more recently with the district office at Barrie, has left for Sault Ste. Marie where he will take up his duties as depot operator and sales representative.

**VISITS FRIENDS**  
Mary Littlewood, missionary on furlough from French Equatorial Africa, visited friends in town this week. She also spoke to several local church organizations concerning the medical mission work.

Tunney 76, Townsley 71, Allen 60, Cullen 59. Cullen and Townsley picked 5-2 wins over Cullen and Allen respectively last week.

Alice Gibson whipped up a 630 (268-238-124) to set the pace in Monday Town Ladies league. Other top bracket scores, Mary Osborne 607, Hester Clark 606, Laura Gilkes 592, Phyl McInnis 592, Emma Broadbent 590, Jeanne Gatti 580, Edith 568, Claire Pollock 562, Edna McGrath 536. Spark Plugs, Dubs and Wizards 3-1 winners over Cubs, Femmes and Peeps respectively. League standing Wizards 38, Cubs 30%, Spark Plugs and Femmes 33 each, Peeps 27, Dubs 24%.

Stew Parks was top bowler last week in the Office Specialty Officers' league with a 608 (201-225-180). Stew was chased by Frank McFarlane for top honors. Frank recorded a 602 (215-209-178). Top single mark was Chas. Cumber's 259. Lou Davoir's trundlers popped to the top of the heap, second Bert Seldon's and third Roy Bennett's. Just past the half-way mark, reports secretary Jack Malcolm.

**Spits Bumped From 4th Place  
Lose to Collingwood, Midland  
Have Another Chance To-night**

A three-goal second period paved the way for Collingwood "Shipbuilders" to whom the Spits 7-1 in Collingwood Tuesday. Myles McInnis with Al Shewchuk assisting gave the Spits an early second period tie but that was the extent of the silver lining.

The loss booted the Spits from fourth to fifth place in the Big Seven standing. Collingwood stepped in to fill their shoes. Spits will have a chance to get even here tonight as they engage the Shipbuilders.

On the return trip, a car driven by Norm Pickering blew a tire near Stayner and went into the ditch. Stan Gibbons suffered a severe shaking up while Ken Broughton, trainer Pete Preston and Norm Pickering escaped uninjured.

## MIDLAND 3, SPITS 4

What was supposed to be a routine picking up of two points against the well-nigh winless Midland "Flyers" turned out to be a kick in the pants for the Spits on Friday. Midland flashed a stinging six-goal second period assault that popped out Spits behind the eight ball for a 3-4 pasting. It was the second win the visitors have been able to rope in the Big Seven campaign this season.

The game had a routine start. Midland, as on their previous visit, showed a lot of hustle and reeled in a pair of tallies and were 2-0 leaders by the midway mark of the first. It was goals by "Lefty" St. Amant and Jack Henderson that started them off. The former was a guy the fans were willing to start "we hate you" campaign against before the night was over. The Spits came back to make a two all tie of it. "Swiftly" Todd took the biscuit in and passed to Denny Labine for the Spits' first. It was Labine again as Joe Peat let fly a shot from the blue-line and Denny tipped it into the open corner.

Then came the Spits' collapse. Midland poured in for six goals as Joe Tunney spent an embarrassing and harassing 20 minutes. Spits back-checkers left considerable work for the defense and the defense in turn weren't accepting too many appointments to stop onrushing Midland attackers. Lefty St. Amant, bagged three and Mutt Collings, the Bradford fugitive, chimed in with two. Only bright spot in an otherwise gloomy second round came as Harold Tunstead, Bill Johnston and Stan Gibbons stole inside the Flyers' blucine on a three-way relay with Tunstead streaking in for the killing shot.

It was an even split in the final round as the teams shared a goal each. Al Shewchuk got the Spits' fourth marker after Bill Johnston and Stan Gibbons wheeled the puck into scoring range.

**JUVENILES LOSE 4-0**  
Imperial juveniles were given a skating and passing lesson at the arena Tuesday by Unionville "Stonies" and a 4-0 trimming. Stonies are juvenile A, the Imperials B in the O.M.H.A. It was the second straight loss the Imperials have suffered. Their season's record in the O.M.H.A. now stands at two wins, 2 losses.

**NEWMARKET AND STOUFFVILLE TIE**  
Despite an early 4-1 lead, Newmarket Optimist midgets had to be content with a 4 all draw with Stouffville Friday. It was an O.M.H.A. contest and part of the usual Friday quintuplet header of minor hockey. It was the second time the teams have had to be content with a split of the points in two meetings this season.

**AURORA D'S WIN 13-3**  
The Orono club defeated Aurora D's 7-3 last week to break a five-game win streak. Last Thursday Aurora gave Orono a severe 13-3 drubbing. It was a romp for the Aurora Cubs once the sails were unfurled. They potted four first period tallies for a 4-2 lead. They were back doing a brisk business with the scorer in the second to top their margin to 8-2 and toyed with Orono in the final round to hike their margin by outclassing the visitors 5-1.

**HOW THEY STAND**  
(as of January 31)

**KING-VAUGHAN LEAGUE**

W	L	T	Pts.	
Nobleton	8	2	3	19
Schomberg	6	6	1	13
Kettleby	5	7	1	11
Kleinburg	2	8	5	9

**NEWMARKET TOWN LEAGUE**  
(final)

W	L	T	Pts.	
Davis Leather 7	2	0	14	
Town Merch.	4	5	0	8
Specialty	3	5	1	7
Hoffman	3	5	1	7

**AURORA TOWN LEAGUE**

W	L	T	Pts.	
Collis Leather 7	1	1	15	
Ditch Diggers 5	4	0	10	
Victory Flys	3	5	1	7
Merchants	2	7	0	4

**N.H.L. MINOR**

W	L	T	Pts.	
Red Wings	5	1	1	11
Maple Leafs	5	2	0	10
Rangers	4	2	1	9
Bruins	3	3	1	7
Canadians	1	5	1	3
Black Hawks	1	6	0	2

**TROLLEY LEAGUE**

W	L	T	Pts.	
Aurora	6	3	0	12
W. Wheelers	5	0	0	10
Woodbridge	3	2	0	6
Daves-Dan.	2	5	0	4
Navy Club	0	6	0	0

**JUNIOR B**

W	L	T	Pts.	
Collingwood	9	2	0	18
Barrie	8	2	0	16
Owen Sound	4	7	0	8
Newmarket	1	10	0	2

**BIG SEVEN SENIOR B**

W	L	T	Pts.	
Stouffville	16	1	1	33
Owen Sound	16	1	0	32
Markham	8	7	1	17
Collingwood	7	11	0	14
Newmarket	5	9	2	12
Alliston	5	12	0	10
Midland	2	18	0	4

**JUNIOR B BIG SIX**

W	L	T	Pts.	
Weston	16	1	0	32
St. Mike's	10	5	2	22
Brampton	7	8	2	16
Unionville	6	11	1	13
Aurora	6	12	0	12
N. Toronto	4	12	1	9

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